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NAGEL TELLS OF RUMELY'S EFFORTS TO GET BUSCH AID

St. Louisan Testifies He Wrote to Mrs. Busch in Germany Outlining Project for New York Paper.

DR. ALBERT CAME HERE FOR INTERVIEW

German Agent Said Mrs. Busch Was Willing to Enter Deal, but Nagel Found This Was Not So.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Dr. Edward A. Rumely concluded his testimony in his own behalf today in the United States District Court before Judge William I. Grubb and a jury. He is charged, with Norvin Lindheim and S. Walter Kaufman, with conspiring to withhold information of the alleged purchase of the Evening Mail by German interests from the Alien Property Custodian.

Charles Nagel of St. Louis, who served as Secretary of Commerce and Labor in President Taft's Cabinet, was a witness for the defense. He told of meeting Dr. Rumely in Chicago, where the defendant laid before him a plan to acquire a newspaper in New York that would be unbiased in its publication of war news. At that time, said Nagel, Dr. Rumely explained to him Germany's advanced industrial and agricultural policies, saying he intended to play u pthe high ideals embellished in the German methods. "I told him I could not help him financially," the witness said, "but I was deeply impressed with his plan."

Name of Busch Came Up.

"The name of Augustus Busch came up during the interview," Mr. Nagel continued, "and I told him in my judgment Mr. Busch would not subscribe to stock in the paper.

"Mrs. Adolphus Busch had then gone abroad and Dr. Rumely asked me to communicate with her. I followed out his request."

Excerpts from the letter sent to Mrs. Busch by Nagel stated that false reports on conditions in Germany were creating prejudice in the New York newspapers. He told of learning that an option could be secured for the purchase of a New York daily and asked Mrs. Busch to subscribe to its stock.

"The idea is not to have a German paper," the letter concluded, "but an American newspaper that will publish the truth and nothing but the truth."

This letter was sent to Berlin but never reached Mrs. Busch. Mr. Nagel also told of meeting Dr. Rumely in 1916, but at that interview nothing was mentioned about the Evening Mail.

Nagel testified to having met Dr. Henrich lAbert, the German fiscal agent, in St. Louis in December, 1916, after Dr. Albert had requested an interview.

In his account of this interview Mr. Nagel said that Dr. Albert asked him to interest Mrs. Busch in making large investments in the Evening Mail, saying that he had learned through S. Walter Kaufman, who had interviewed Hermann Sielcken, the American coffee merchant in Germany, that Mrs. Busch would be likely to purchase stock in the paper. Later on Nagel went to New York, he said, in order to investigate for himself Sielcken's statement about Mrs. Busch, and came to the conclusion that there had been no basis for such a statement.

DOG CARRIES NEWS OF ACCIDENT

Belleville Hunter Injured in Collision Between Automobiles.

Rover, a hunting dog belonging to Edward C. Deck of Belleville, yesterday apprised Mrs. Deck that her husband, who had failed to return home from a hunting trip, was injured. The dog rushed into the home bleeding from a gash on the head. Mrs. Deck made inquiry and found her husband in St. Elizabeth's Hospital, where he was taken after a collision between autos driven by Arthur Owen and Barth Faltus at Church and Lincoln streets.

Deck was in the machine with Owen en route home. He was cut on the face and head by flying glass from the windshield. The dog was hurt in a similar way. While Deck was being taken to the hospital the dog ran home.

30 MOROS REPORTED KILLED

Fight Said to Have Been Over Question of Educating Children.

By the Associated Press.

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 9.—Thirty Moros were killed in the Sulu Islands in a fight with the Philippine constabulary growing out of efforts to encourage education of children, it was learned here today in official advices from the Governor of Jolo, the Philippine province embracing the Sulu Islands.

CLOUDY, RAIN PROBABLE; ABOUT SAME TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.

7 a. m.	36	11 a. m.	42
8 a. m.	34	1 p. m.	44
9 a. m.	38	3 p. m.	45

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and tomorrow, probably with rain; not much change in temperature; lowest tonight will be above the freezing point.

Missouri: Cloudy tonight; tomorrow generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Illinois: Cloudy tonight; tomorrow generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Stage of the river at 7 a. m., 3 feet, a rise of .2 foot.

MASH SEIZED, THREE ARRESTED, IN COUNTY

Sheriff and Deputies Raid House at Lemay Ferry and Forder Roads.

Three men were arrested and parts of a still, two barrels of mash, 107 empty barrels and 8000 pounds of corn sugar were seized when Sheriff Bopp of St. Louis County and two deputies raided today a two-story frame house at Lemay Ferry and Forder roads, in the southern part of St. Louis County.

The men arrested were August Gleiforst, a farmer, living at Telegraph and Forder roads, and Vico Imjala and Joe Buzoto of 1117 North Ninth street, St. Louis. A fourth man, who is known, is being sought by the Sheriff.

The raid was the result of information that a still was being operated in the house. The three men were found in the cellar placing props under the floor to strengthen it. The equipment seized included two small stoves and a copper oven, but there was no coil. The two barrels of mash and the empty barrels and the sugar, in 80 100-pound sacks, were on the first floor. No whisky was found. About 1000 feet of pipe had been laid to a creek and a motor installed to pump water to the house.

Buzoto said that Gleiforst sent for him and Imjala to work for him but did not tell them what kind of work they were to do. The men were locked up at Clayton and the seized property was stored there.

JUDGE LANDWEHR'S LIST USED IN REJECTION OF BONDSMEN

Data Showed John Kelly Already on Bonds Totaling $101,000 While Property Was Worth Only $14,000.

The first judicial cognizance of the list of bondsmen and their qualifications prepared by Judge Landwehr of the Criminal Court was taken by Judge Ittner in Police Court today when he refused to accept John Kelly on four appeal bonds aggregating $175.

Judge Ittner said that the list furnished by Judge Landwehr showed that Kelly was on bonds aggregating $101,000 and the Assessor's record showed that the assessed valuation of his realty holdings was only $14,000. "In future," he said, "I shall not accept bondsmen who are on bonds to a greater value than that of the property they own." Police Court Judge Mix also announced that he would follow the policy outlined by Judge Ittner.

Joseph Seidel also was rejected as a bondsman by Judge Ittner today on the ground that one of his bonds had been forfeited and a judgment for the amount of the bond had not been satisfied.

SENATORS DECIDE TAX RELIEF IS IMPRACTICABLE AT PRESENT

Members of Finance Committee Say Legislation Cannot Be Passed at This Session.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Income tax relief legislation requested by business interests is impracticable at this session of Congress, Republican members of the Senate Finance Committee decided today at an informal conference.

This decision is in line with a similar one by the Republicans of the House Ways and Means Committee and, it was said, virtually closes the door to tax revision legislation during the present session.

The Treasury's condition as outlined by Secretary Houston, Republican Senator, said, made impossible the tax concessions urged.

G. E. Keith, Shoe Man, Dead.

By the Associated Press.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—George Elden Keith of Brockton, president of the George E. Keith Shoe Co., and prominent in the shoe manufacturing industry, died here early today after a short illness.

22 1-2 PER CENT CUT IN WAGES FORECAST BY TEXTILE MAKERS

Prediction in Statement After Conference of Representatives of Three-Fourths of New England Mills.

INDUSTRY EMPLOYS 300,000 PERSONS

Manufacturers Declare Reduction Is Necessary With Market Stagnant From Lack of Buying.

By the Associated Press.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—A wage reduction of 22½ per cent in textile mills in New England and New York State was forecast today in a statement issued after a conference of textile manufacturers.

Approximately 75 per cent of the industry in this section, representing makers of both cotton and woolen products, was represented at the conference. The industry employs 300,000 persons.

Such a reduction, according to statement, would bring the wage schedules back approximately to the figures that existed a year ago, and would leave the wage standards generally more than double those of 1915.

Cut Necessary, It Is Said.

The present stagnant condition of the textile industry made consideration of a wage reduction necessary, it was stated. After explaining that all sections of New England, as well as New York State, were represented by the manufacturers who took part in the conference, the statement said:

"It is evident from what has transpired in the past few months that there has been an insistent and compelling demand on the part of the public that the cost of living should be lessened by a readjustment of prices. This demand is country-wide, and it becomes the duty of all interested in industries which affect immediately the cost of living give serious consideration to the subject.

"Manufacturers have been reluctant to make any radical changes in wages because of its effect at a time when there has seemed to be so little willingness on the part of the retailer to do business on a local basis of price. But conditions have recently come about whereby this situation has been materially affected, and prices of articles entering into the cost of living have been reduced to a considerable extent.

Some Mills Are Closed.

"Now that the process of readjustment has operated in the wage earners' favor, and living costs are still further to be lessened as the present low prices of raw materials are reflected in retail costs, the manufacturers can properly take some action to lessen the labor cost involved in production.

"The refusal of buyers to purchase goods for the past four or five months on a high basis of cost has led to a stagnation of the markets upon which the manufacturers depend so that many of the textile mills in New England have been obliged to shut down; many more are working on short time, and unless something is done to remedy these conditions, unemployment will be increased and continue.

"Therefore it becomes the duty of manufacturers to consider means of providing stabilization so that merchants may be in a position to order goods without fear of further declines.

"It is obvious that no one will buy the product of the mills until the various factors entering into the cost of production have been reduced to a point which represents to the purchaser a safe basis for doing business.

"In order to stabilize conditions it is necessary that there should be some wage reduction. The textile manufacturers have given careful consideration to every phase of this situation, and have taken into account all possible methods of bringing about conditions whereby their plants may be operated without any change in the wage scale, but they find that this is impossible.

"Accordingly, it has been suggested that a reduction of 22½ per cent will aid materially in stabilizing the market. This will approximately reestablish the wage schedule of November, 1919, and will leave wages in the industries more than double the wages of 1915.

"If this reduction is made, it is hoped that merchants will feel that the factor of labor as well as raw material costs have been so adjusted that they will feel secure in placing their orders.

"It is hoped that the public will respond to this suggestion, and that manufacturers will be able to go on,

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SAYS HE PAID TO AVOID ARREST FOR HAVING ALCOHOL

Chief O'Brien to Submit Reports to Board on Statement by Grocer and Saloon Man.

POLICE CAPTAIN'S STORY OF AFFAIR

Policeman Is Under Suspension, but He Denies Having Any Knowledge of the Incident.

Chief of Police O'Brien will submit to the Board of Police Commissioners tomorrow reports from Capt. William Tierney and Mortorcycle Policeman John Brante of the Laclede Avenue District, concerning a statement by Santino Elice, part owner of a grocery, meat market and saloon at Jefferson avenue and Randolph street, that he paid $500 to one of three men who threatened to arrest him on a charge of having alcohol in his possession. Policeman Brante is under suspension, although he denies any knowledge of the incident.

Capt. Tierney has reported to Chief O'Brien that last Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock three men got out of a Ford touring car and entered the grocery department of Elice's store and called for Elice. Miss Gussie Elice, a daughter of the proprietor, was behind the grocery counter and informed the men that her father was not in.

"I know where to find him," said one of the men, according to Capt. Tierney's report, and he went to a back door, from which an outside porch leads to the living apartments of Elice on the second floor.

Story by Captain.

The following account of what transpired was given to the Post-Dispatch today by Capt. Tierney as it had been related to him by Elice:

As the man started up the stairs he met Elice coming down with a five-gallon can. He stopped Elice and took the can from him, removed the stopper, smelled the contents, then insterted his finger and after withdrawing it, tasted it.

"You've got the hot stuff there," he said to Elice, "and you may consider yourself under arrest. I'll have to take you to the station."

"Let Me Have $1000."

Elice protested and the man said, "Well, let me have $1000."

Elice said he did not have that much, hewreupon the other said, "If I arrest you it will cost you at least $500 to hire a lawyer."

Elice withdrew a roll of bills from his pocket and counted out $300. The man said that was not enough and told Elice to get the rest from the store. He then accompanied Elice to the grocery, where Elice took money from the safe and cash register to make up the balance of the $500 and handed the money to the man.

Meantime one of the other two men had gone to the back door and when he saw George Isenring of 3420 Connecticut street, a friend of Elice, in the back yard, told him that he was under arrest. Isenring demanded to see the man's authority and the latter displayed a badge which he took from his trousers pocket.

When Elice had given the first man the $500 the latter took the can containing alcohol and directed his companions to follow him. They got into the automobile and drove south on Jefferson avenue.

Capt. Tierney learned of the incident last Monday and summoned Elice, his two daughters, Gussie and Rosine, and Isenring to the Laclede Police Station. He said that they related the details of the incident and that Miss Gussie Elice told him that she believed she had recognized the man who took the money as a motorcycle policeman, whom she mentioned by name. She said that she was sure she had seen the man in the store on previous occasions.

Makes Emphatic Denial.

Tuesday at 3 p. m. Capt. Tierney had both platoons of the motor cycle squad of his district at the police station for inspection. Elice, his two daughters and Isenring also were present and pointed out Policeman Brante as the man who, they said, had taken the money. Policeman Brante emphatically denied their charge.

When the matter was reported to Chief O'Brien he ordered Brante's suspension and told Capt. Tierney to get affidavits from the witnesses. Tierney told the witnesses to be at his office this morning. When they failed to appear he called at the store an dinterviewed Elice. The latter said that he had concluded to drop the proceeding and refused to make an affidavit. He said that he possibly was mistaken in identifying Brante.

FORISTEL AND KOELN NAME SLATE FOR POLICE BOARD

It Is Understood Among Republicans That Hyde Will Follow Suggestions of Two Who Backed Him.

COL. GEO. B. HUNTER CHOICE FOR HEAD

Benjamin Gratz and F. H. Kreismann Also on List—Recommendations Also for Election Commissioners.

Edward W. Foristel today said that he and Edmond Koeln, City Collector, had prepared a list of recommendations to Governor-elect Hyde for appointments as members of the Boards of Police and Election Commissioners in St. Louis.

It is understood among Republican politicians that the Governor-elect will make his selections from the list submitted to him by Foristel and Koeln, and it is not improbable that when the actual time for making the appointments comes they will narrow the list to the exact men they expect to have appointed.

While Hyde repeatedly stated during the campaign that he had made no promises, the politicians point to the fact that his political debt to Foristel is of a character which Governors seldom fail to pay. When he had no other supporter of influence in St. Louis, Foristel went to his aid and commanded the support of all the so-called Koeln wards for him.

For Police Commissioners.

Foristel said the men he and Koeln had decided to recommend for Police Commissioners were:

Col. George B. Hunter, former commandant of Jefferson Barracks, retired.

Benjamin Gratz, 5155 Lindell boulevard, of the firm of Warren, Jones & Gratz.

Wallace C. Capen, 5798 Pershing avenue, manager of the White Automobile Co.

Frederick H. Kreismann, former Mayor.

W. Berkley Martin, manager of the American and American Annex Hotels.

Melville L. Wilkinson, president of Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney Dry Goods Co.

Robert Wycoff, 3668 McRee avenue, a sewer contractor.

Edward J. Miller, president of the St. Louis Screw Co.

Edward Mallinckrodt Jr., 16 Westmoreland place, vice president of the Mallinckrodt Chemical Co.

William K. Bixby, 4965 Lindell boulevard.

For Election Commissioners, Foristel said, they would recommend John H. Halliday and Vincent Dempsey, lawyers, for Republican members, and James Y. Player, former Comptroller, and E. S. Lewis, former Excise Commissioner, for Democratic members. Dempsey is now a member of the Election Board.

Statement by Foristel.

"We have been asked by a number of persons to recommend to Gov. Hyde public-spirited citizens for these important appointments, and we have decided to do so," Foristel said. "We do not believe that anybody could find the slightest real objection to any whose name is included in our list.

"In some instances we have consulted the men whose names we have included. In others we have not. But we believe the kind of men who should fill these places are those willing to make some personal sacrifices for the public good, and we are confident that nearly all those we have included could be induced to accept.

Wilkinson Wouldn't Accept.

"Col. Hunter is a man particularly well equipped to head the Police Department. He retired from the army at the age of 64, but he is too active to remain retired from business or public activities. The others are all good men and I don't believe Gov. Hyde could make a mistake if he would select from these names the men to fill all the places."

Wilkinson, whose name was included among Foristel's suggestions for Police Commissioner, today said he would not accept the appointment if it should be tendered. "I regret that my name was used," he said. "It was without my consent or knowledge. I would not under any consideration accept the appointment."

$500,000 to 4000 Employes.

By the Associated Press.

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 9.—Approximately one-half million dollars will be distributed in Christmas checks to 4000 employes of the Simmons company, bed manufacturers of this city, it was announced today by officials of the company.

Proposal From Head of Sinn Fein Army Taken to Lloyd George

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 9.

PROSPECTS of an Irish truce, which last night were generally regarded as having receded almost out of sight, have been revived, according to a late edition of the Daily Mail, as a result of a private interview between Mgr. Patrick Joseph Clune, Bishop of Perth, and Premier Lloyd George yesterday. The Archbishop, the newspaper declared, conveyed to Lloyd George what, in effect, was a message from Michael Collins, commander of the Sinn Fein army.

The Daily Mail quotes the Premier as saying: "It may definitely be stated that prospects for settlement are much brighter than they appear on the surface."

Similar information is printed by the London Times.

13 UNION PIANO AND ORGAN WORKERS TO OPERATE FACTORY

Say They Will Sell Products From 20 to 25 Per Cent Below Present Market Price.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—A piano, organ and talking machine factory, union-owned, organized and operated is to be opened here Dec. 26, according to an announcement today by N. O. Cilson, president of the new company. It is believed that it is the first concern of this kind to be organized. It will be known as the De Luxe Piano Co.

Thirteen members of the Piano and Organ Workers' Union, who say they were locked out at a local piano manufacturing company's plant two months ago because of labor differences, are the organizers of the company. According to President Cilson, $50,000 has been subscribed as the working capital.

During the first month of operation the organizers will draw no pay, but after that they are to receive 80 cents an hour, and will work 44 hours a week. If other employes are hired they will receive a like wage. Dividends on holdings will be turned back to the company for some time, it has been agreed by members.

"We shall make a specialty of selling to labor," President Cilson said, "our products will sell from 20 to 25 per cent below the present market price."

Charles Dodd, president of the Piano and Organ Workers' Association of America, is secretary-treasurer of the company.

FINED ON CHARGE OF NOT PROPERLY HEATING APARTMENT

H. J. Hirsch, Agent for Building at 4600 Delmar Boulevard, Defendant in Case.

H. J. Hirsch, 415 International Life Building, was fined $50 in the Police Court today on a charge of violating the city ordinance which requires that during the winter season apartment houses must have a heat temperature of 70 degrees Fahrenheit between 7 a. m. and 10:30 p. m. The apartment house referred to in the information is at 4600 Delmar boulevard, and Hirsch was designated as agent for the property.

The information was originally filed against Henri Chouteau, president of the company which operates the International Life Building, but was dismissed on his statement that he was not the owner of record of the property.

Later an amended information was filed, alleging that Chouteau was the manager and Hirsch agent of the apartment house. The charge as to Chouteau was dismissed when it was shown that Hirsch had charge of the apartment house. Hirsch appealed.

AGREEMENT TO EXPEDITE FORD CONTEST INVESTIGATION

Senate Subcommittee to Take Testimony Dec. 16 and Recount Will Begin Jan. 4.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Agreements for expediting the investigation of Henry Ford's contest for the Michigan Senate seat held by Truman H. Newberry were reached today by the Senate Elections Subcommittee.

Testimony will be taken on Dec. 16 as to the vote cast at Saginaw, Mich., where ballots in several precincts have been destroyed, and on Jan. 4 a recount of the entire vote cast in Michigan will begin.

ORPHANS TO GET RABBIT FEAST

140 Bunnies Killed in Church Hunt Near Jefferson City.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 9.—The children in the Baptist Orphan Home at Pattonville, near St. Louis, will get a feast when a barrel sent from this city reaches the institution. It is filled with 140 rabbits that were killed near here by members of the First Baptist Church of Jefferson City, led by William Lumpkin. Twelve men of the church made up the party. Bob Glover led in the number of rabbits killed, with 20, while Will Dixon was second.

MRS. MACSWINEY SAYS IRELAND WILL KEEP UP FIGHT TILL RECOGN'ZED

Testifies Women Prefer Starvation to Submission to England and Declares There Is Distress in Land.

TELLS LIFE STORY OF LATE LORD MAYOR

Proud of Courage He Showed in Hunger Strike—Says He Was Convicted of Holding Code He Had Right To.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Proponents in Ireland of an Irish republic are resolved "that England shall have no peace; that the world will have no peace until our republic is recognized," Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the late Lord Mayor of Cork, declared today before the commission of the Committee of One Hundred investigating conditions in Ireland.

Mrs. MacSwiney said material relief for her countrymen was necessary for many were starving.

"But what we want more," she added, "is our freedom. We want England out. I think the people of Ireland would choose freedom and our republic, rather than food, if they were forced to choose between them."

The women of Ireland, she said, are organized as well as the men, and their attitude is one of solidarity "The women of Ireland have steeled themselves to meet all torment," she declared. "The women of Ireland seldom weep now."

Tells Husband's Life Story.

The life story of the late Lord Mayor was told by Mrs. MacSwiney. Her accounts of the numerous arrests of her husband, his efforts on behalf of a free Irish nation, and the actions of the British Government in attempting to "throttle Irish development" were punctuated alternately by applause and sobs.

Mrs. MacSwiney told of her marriage to the late Lord Mayor in England in 1917, just after her husband had been released from one of many prison terms. She related how their only baby was born while its father was in jail in Belfast and how she daily carried the child to visit the father in prison.

Mrs. MacSwiney recounted the arrest on Aug. 12, 1920, and the beginning of the last hunger strike. Her husband, she said, was charged with having had a code used by the police, and she asserted that this was proper because of his position as Lord Mayor. She was present at the trial and said the Lord Mayor told her then of his intention to continue on hunger strike. She became convinced then, she declared, that he would die of starvation unless the British Government granted his release.

Proud of Husband's Courage.

"After my husband made his speech at the trial," she continued, "I guess I became resigned; accustomed to what the future was to bring. The shock came first. It came harder on me then. After that I was reconciled and I was proud of his courage."

As hunger wore down the Lord Mayor's strength," Mrs. MacSwiney said, "he absolutely radiated peace and contentment."

"I knew my husband was happy," she declared, "and I never, never, would interfere with my husband in a matter of consciousness. It was his choice. It was the decision of his spirit."

Her husband exacted a promise from her, Mrs. MacSwiney said, that she would not insist that he take food. The prison officials, however, said they would not employ forced feeding until the prisoner became unconscious, Mrs. MacSwiney declared. Accordingly, five days before the Lord Mayor died, the prison authorities began feeding him, and continued to do so until his death, she asserted.

Mrs. MacSwiney gave a vivid recital of her experiences with the British officials and charged that the British Home Office had spread propaganda to the effect that relatives of the Lord Mayor were secretly providing him with food.

"That," she exclaimed, "is the sort of lies they use about everything in connection with Ireland."

Investigators Hope Britain Will Alter Passport Ruling.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Hope that the decision of the British Government not to permit the special

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FIRST WOMAN IS PICKED FOR DEPUTY SHERIFF

Miss Fay Johnston, Named by Supply Commissioner Thomas, to Be Offered Post by Mohrstadt.

Miss Fay Johnston of 5125 Kensington avenue was named today by Supply Commissioner Joseph B. Thomas, Republican city committeeman for the Twenty-eighth Ward, as one of the four or more women who will be recommended to Charles E. Mohrstadt, who will become Sheriff Jan. 1, for appointment as Deputy Sheriffs. Mohrstadt announced previously that he would appoint at least four women deputies, and had asked Thomas to name the first of them, so it is believed that Miss Johnston will get the appointment if she wishes it.

Thomas said this afternoon that he had spoken with Miss Johnston by telephone, and believed she would accept the appointment. He said he was not personally acquainted with her, and that Mrs. C. W. Swingley, chairman of the Republican women's organization in the ward, recommended Miss Johnston to him.

Is Ward G. O. P. Secretary.

Miss Johnston is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Johnston, her father being a salesman for a downtown jewelry store. She was engaged, in wartime, in social service work with the home service department of the Red Cross. She is secretary of the ward women's Republican organization, and is precinct chairman for her precinct, the Third.

Mohrstadt, in announcing his purpose to name women deputies, said two of the appointees would be detailed to work as courtroom bailiffs, one probably in the Probate Court and one in the Juvenile Court. The others will be service deputies, and the two women bailiffs, after their courtroom work is over each day, will be expected to help in serving legal papers. It is not his intention that any woman deputy shall have anything to do with handling adult criminals.

Duties of Deputy Sheriffs.

The women's organization of Republicans asked for the appointment of 20 women, according to Mohrstadt, but this was more than he felt he could give to them, inasmuch as his total staff will consist of approximately only 55 deputies.

Courtroom bailiffs handle a gavel to preserve order in court. They also are the ones who give the cry of "Oyez, oyez!" on the convening and adjourning of court. Other duties performed by them are to call off the names of jurors and take charge of a jury when it has retired to consider a case. Service deputies serve jury summons and all writs issued by the court, including the service of suits. The present pay of a courtroom deputy or bailiff is $112 a month. A service deputy receives $100 a month. Deputy Sheriffs carry revolvers.

In regard to deputies now serving under Sheriff Weinbrenner, also a Republican, the new Sheriff said he did not know how many he would retain. All things being equal, it would be a difficult matter for him to turn out one Republican to give another Republican a job. However, he said he would not forget his friends.

REAR ADMIRAL MAYO, 47 YEARS IN SERVICE, ON RETIRED LIST

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. — Rear Admiral H. T. Mayo, war-time commander of the United States fleet, goes on the retired list of the navy today, after more than 47 years of service. He has the distinction of having served continuously in a flag command longer than any other Rear Admiral on the list, and of having commanded the United States fleet longer than any other naval officer who has held the post in the modern American navy.

Would Destroy All Stored Whisky.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Representative Blanton of Texas today, in an address before the International Reform Bureau here, urged the destruction of all stored whisky in America, as a means of enforcing the prohibition laws.

COMPROMISE AT GENEVA VICTORY FOR CANADIANS

League Delegates Decide Not to Appoint Bodies on Transit and Finance After Objections Are Heard.

HEALTH COMMISSION TO BE ORGANIZED

Delegates, Weary of Protracted Debate, Talk of Going Home—Next Week May See Adjournment.

By the Associated Press.

GENEVA, Dec. 9.—Proposed organizations on finance and transit under the League of Nations, which were considered yesterday by the assembly, have been abandoned as the result of the compromise reached at midnight last night by prominent delegates to the assembly meeting here.

N. W. Rowell of Canada, Gabriele Hanotaux of France, Mr. Millet of Australia, Dr. Gastoa da Cunha of Brazil, and Lord Robert Cecil, representative of South Africa, were present at the conference which resulted in this compromise. All are members of the Committee on Technical Organizations.

The existing international health organization will continue its work, and will come under the supervision of the league.

This compromise is a victory for the Canadian delegation, which yesterday opposed the proposition that the assembly recommend to the Governments the establishment under the auspices of the league of three new organizations, finance, transit and health, with annual conferences on the subjects.

Raw Materials Discussed.

The question of the distribution of raw materials was brought up again at this morning's assembly session by Signor Schanzer of Italy, during debate upon the formation of an economic commission. The Italian delegate said he had entire confidence that the league would bring about economic as well as political justice through giving all countries access to the natural resources of the world. He declared it was not the Italian viewpoint that the interior affairs of any country should be interfered with, but it was desired that artificial economic barriers be broken down.

President Hymans intervened to point out that the assembly had spent two entire mornings on a single chapter of a technical report, and he pleaded with the speakers to cut their remarks short.

N. W. Rowell, of Canada, and Gustav Ador, of Switzerland, agreed in the idea that the question of the distribution of raw materials should not be discussed by this assembly.

Rowell expressed himself as satisfied with the modifications made in the report of the Committee on Technical Organizations. The amended plan for the appointment of a temparary consultative financial commission was adopted by the assembly.

Debates Tire Delegates.

Some of the principal delegates, wearying of the protracted discussions and somewhat discouraged in their efforts to hasten the work of the assembly, are talking of going home. M. Viviani, who has been away from his law practice for nearly a month, said he would not stay longer than the end of this week. The general opinion, however, is that it will be impossible to finish before the end of next week, unless the debates are summarily shortened.

The strong opposition of the members of the "Little Entente" to the admission of Bulgaria into the League of Nations was materially weakened this morning by the receipt by the commission on the admission of new states of a report from Marshal Foch, stating that Bulgaria has fulfilled her treaty obligations better than any other enemy country.

Marshal Foch's report points out that Bulgarian disarmament has advanced further than that of any other enemy state, her army now consisting of 23,000 men, instead of 40,000, as contended by nations opposing her admission to the league.

Argentina's Stand Brings Bitter Controversy in Buenos Aires.

By the Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 9.—The question of the withdrawal of Argentina from the League of Nations assembly appears likely to become the subject of bitter political controversy. Predictions are made by some of the newspapers that the question will be an issue in the next presidential election, which occurs in March, 1922.

Various patriotic and civic organizations already are preparing movements for and against the Government's international policy. The radical party of Buenos Aires announces that it will hold great public demonstrations in front of Government House in support of President Irigoyen. On the other hand, prominent Argentinians who during the war organized "The Association of Friends of France and the Allies" here called a meeting to protest against the President's policy.

Widow of Oil Man Who Wants to Succeed Him as G. O. P. Committeeman

MRS. JACOB L. HAMON

Mrs. Hamon has announced herself as candidate for Republican National committeeman from Oklahoma to fill the vacancy created by the death of her husband, Jake L. Hamon, multimillionaire oil magnate, who died at Ardmore, Nov. 26, under mysterious circumstances from a gunshot wound. Clara Smith of Ardmore is being sought on a charge of murder in connection with Hamon's death.

EL PASO SHERIFF GETS WARRANT FOR CLARA SMITH

Authority for the Arrest of Woman Wanted in Hamon Case Reported Sent From Ardmore, Ok.

By the Associated Press.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec 9.—Sheriff Orndorff of El Paso has received a warrant from Ardmore, Ok., calling for the apprehension of Clara Smith, wanted in connection with the shooting of Jake Hamon at Ardmore, according to the woman's brother and father and the Sheriff's office.

The father and son said they expected Clara would come to their home as soon as she learned of the warrant.

They declared they did not know where she was, but intimated that she was not far from El Paso, unless, without their knowledge, she had gone farther.

At 10:30 o'clock Tuesday night Clara Smith entered the home of her parents, 1119 East San Antonio sreet, according to the Sheriff.

She was not arrested, he said, because no warrant fo rher was held here.

Deputy Sheriff John Boone says Miss Smith was in Juarez Dec. 2. An investigation revealed that she probably crossed the international border on a 10-day tourist passport, after giving an assumed name. Boone immediately notified his superiors, who telegraphed the authorities at Ardmore. Nothing was heard from them until Monday, when they acknowledged receipt of the telegram, but did not send a warrant for her arrest.

In spite of the denial of J. B. Smith, youngest brother of Clara Smith, that he was in El Paso Dec. 4, Deputy Sheriff Boone said he is positive the youth was here at that time, having driven to El Paso in a touring car from Ardmore.

On Dec. 5, Boone says, J. B. Smith and his father, J. L. Smith, left the residence on East San Antonio street in an automobile, taking with them a large trunk. Boone says Clara Smith at that time was either in Juarez or had slipped back across the border and reached a house in El Paso.

"If I could go to Clara this morning I would go and take you with me," her father said to a correspondent of the Associated Press. "If I could, I would take you to her and ask her to make a statement correcting many things about an interview which we believe was unfounded and about a diary which we do not believe was hers. She is not here. You may look for yourself."

Smith dodged the question whether she had been to his home, but repeatedly declared that at present they did not know where she was.

"I feel like the girl has been wronged in many ways," he said. "I want Clara to tell how it all happened, in a simple, truthful statement which I will ask her to give to the Associated Press, but I have no direct word from her at all.

"I believe when she learns that the warrant is here, she will not try to go farther, but come back to us. I want her to come to the house so we can go with her to make bond for her. I know she will come clear. As to who did the shooting, I cannot say, but I know my daughter is innocent."

Brown Wires El Paso Sheriff About Clara Smith.

ARDMORE, Ok., Dec. 9.—Russell B. Brown, County Attorney, yesterday sent the following telegram to Sheriff Orndorff at El Paso in connection with the search for Clara Smith, alleged slayer of Jake L. Hamon:

"Understand you have reliable information as to the whereabouts of Clara Smith Hamon. Will you advise at once by wire if this is true? Please do not let anyone give you the impression that we do not want her here. We will take any and all steps to apprehend her when advised by you that you know of her whereabouts."

C. A. Coakley of the law firm of Coakley & Mathers, retained by four unnamed citizens of Ardmore, to defend Miss Smith, asserted that "if the plans for surrendering Miss Smith are as reported, now is the proper time for her to do so, as the public opinion in Ardmore has crystallized in her favor."

He said that Miss Smith's father was in Ardmore Saturday from Wilson, Ok., his home, and left Sunday for Fort Worth.

"We have absolute pledges of a half million dollar bond for Miss Smith the moment she returns to Ardmore," said Coakley. "My firm was retained by four prominent citizens of Ardmore to act for Miss Smith on any charge that might be placed against her within one hour after Mr. Hamon died.

The attorney employed for Miss Smith's defense said that he did not believe that she had remained in Ardmore, although he said his firm had not been in communication with her since she left Ardmore. In this connection Coakley said he wanted to make it plain that his firm had been retained by the four unnamed citizens to act for Miss Smith without any reference to her, and that the firm claimed no connection with the young woman.

Mathers, the other member of the firm, becomes County Attorney Jan. 1 in succession to Brown, the present County Attorney, who has directed the search for Miss Smith and placed the charge of murder against her.

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PRESIDENT ASKS FOR FUNDS TO AID STARVING CHINESE

Conditions in Several of the Famine-Stricken Provinces of That Country Declared to Be Appalling.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—President Wilson today called on the American people to contribute of their funds to relieve the "appalling" distress in China resulting from famine in several of the provinces.

Thomas W. Lamont of the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co. was designated as chairman of the committee, and Acting Secretary Davis of the State Department as treasurer.

"A famine, alarming in its proportions, today holds in its grip several important provinces in China," said the President's appeal. "The crop failure is complete and the present distress, which is great, is likely, before winter has run its course, to become appalling. In fact, our diplomatic and consular agents in China inform me that the loss resulting from death in distressing form may run into millions of souls. It is certain that the local Government and established organizations of relief are unable to cope with the magnitude of disaster which faces them.

"Under the circumstances, relief to be effective should be granted quickly. Once more an opportunity is offered to the American people to show that prompt and generous response with which they have invariably met the call of their brother nations in distress. To an unusual degree the Chinese people look to us for counsel and for effective friendship. Our churches, through their religious and medical missionaries, their schools and colleges, and our philanthropic foundations, have rendered China an incalculable benefit, which her people recognize with gratitude and devotion to the United States. Therefore, not only in the name of humanity, but in that of the friendliness which we feel for a great people in distress, I venture to ask that our citizens shall, even though the task of giving is not today a light one, respond as they can to this distant but appealing cry for help.

"In order to be assured of the orderly collection of such donations, large or small, which may be offered, I have invited a nation-wide committee, whose names are attached hereto, to lend their aid to this matter. I have designated Mr. Thomas W. Lamont of New York City to act as chairman of this committee, and Mr. Norman Davis, Undersecretary of State, to act as treasurer.

"I realize that this call, added to those for the under-fed children of Eastern Europe and the afflicted peoples of the near East, and to the needs of our own country, makes heavy the demand upon the bounty of the nation. I am confident, however, and all these pleas will be answered in generous spirit."

The committee appointed by the President numbers 130, including 22 women. Besides Lamont and Undersecretary Davis, it includes Secretary Houston of the Treasury Department, Gov. Harding of the Federal Reserve Board, former President Taft, Cardinal Gibbons, Charles Eliot, Frank A. Vanderlip and Senator Capper of Kansas.

Festus J. Wade and Charles Nagel of St. Louis, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. Cary T. Grayson, Mrs. Margaret Anglin Hull, George Horace Lorimer and Samuel Gompers also are on the committee.

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Boys' 10.00 Heavy Overcoats and Suits..4.95
Men's and Boys' Heavy Mackinaws.......5.95
Men's 30.00 Suits and Overcoats...19.75
Men's 50c Heavy Wool Sox.......20c
Boys' Jersey Slip-on Sweaters.......25c
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POLICE BOARD TO CONSIDER OFFER OF LEGION TOMORROW

Lieut.-Col. Burkham Requested to Attend Meeting and Give Views on Assisting in Halting Crime.

President Mansur of the Police Board said today that the board has invited Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Burkham, chairman of the city Executive Committee of the American Legion, to meet the board members tomorrow to discuss means of getting the aid of the American Legion in suppressing crime in the city. The legion several days ago made a formal offer of its assistance.

When President Mansur was asked to comment upon the suggestion of Comptroller Nolte that a vigilance committee of 5000 citizens be formed to walk beats and endeavor to catch lawbreakers, he said he believed that the most promising proposition was that of the American Legion. He pointed out that great care would have to be exercised in choosing civilian policemen, and that he believed it would be simpler to select the right kind of men from the legion, where each candidate would have to receive the approval of his fellow members.

Points in Favor of Legion.

Moreover, he pointed out, in appointing such auxiliary officers, it would be desirable to get men accustomed to the use of firearms in emergencies, and thus avoid such accidents as might occur if excitable citizens were licensed to carry arms and act as policemen. He said the Police Commissioners had certain definite ideas along this line, but preferred not to forecast any course of action until after the conference with Burkham.

Mayor Kiel, upon returning to the city after an absence of several days, said this morning that Nolte's suggestion "sounded like a good idea," but he didn't care to comment further upon it until he had heard what the Police Commissioners had to say. The Mayor is an ex-officio member of the Police Board.

Chief of Police O'Brien said the matter was entirely in the hands of the Police Board. He called attention to the power of the board to declare the existence of an emergency, and to appoint as many emergency policemen as they see fit, as was done during the World's Fair. Such policemen would receive the salary of probationary patrolmen, $90 a month.

"In my opinion," said the chief, "no emergency exists. It is true that there is a good deal of robbery, but it is not out of control. As fast as a new crop of robbers spring up, we knock them down. The fact is that most of these holdups and burglaries are being committed by a lot of young fellows who are out of work."

Views of Chief O'Brien.

He referred to the case of two brothers who recently confessed perpetrating 17 robberies in three weeks, and the confession of three other men of committing 17 holdups and three burglaries in a similar period of time.

"They were a crime wave all by themselves," said the chief. "We are arresting these fellows right along. We can't get them before they commit the crimes, because most of them are men who have no criminal records. What the city needs is 1000 more regular policemen."

President Mansur was wholly in agreement with Chief O'Brien. "When you consider the number of men on the force, you will realize that the department is doing good work," he said.

"I think the movie is the chief factor in making these young highwaymen. If the newspapers could prevent the showing of pictures that make a hero out of the robber and put the police officer in a ridiculous aspect, they would render a greater service than by criticising our overworked police force."

Another Scheme Proposed.

Milton Napier, a member of the Junior Republican Club, said today that he had worked out a scheme for an auxiliary police force of citizens, and would submit it to the Police Board. His plan would provide for civilian patrolmen and officers, even including a chief, who would exercise all the powers of policemen. Officials of the Police Department were dubious about the success of such an experiment.

LITHUANIA ASKS FOR DELAY OF 8 MONTHS IN VILNA PLEBISCITE

By the Associated Press.

GENEVA, Dec. 9.—Postponement of the proposed plebiscite in the Vilna region for eight months and exclusion of Vilna itself from the plebiscite area has been requested by the Lithuanian Government.

This request, which was contained in a note handed to the Council of the League of Nations today, constitutes the Lithuanian reply to the council's refusal to accept the protest of Lithuania against sending to that country an army under the auspices of the league.

22½ PER CENT CUT IN WAGES FORECAST BY TEXTILE MAKERS

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with no further reduction in the wages."

The directors of the American Woolen Co. have not yet considered reducing wages, according to a statement authorized by William M. Wood, president of the company, today.

TWO DUBLIN PUBLISHERS GET SIX MONTHS' SENTENCES

Proprietors of Freeman's Journal Convicted of Spreading False Reports and Also Are Fined $2500.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—Heavy sentences have been imposed on Martin Fitzgerald and Hamilton Edwards, the two proprietors of the Freeman's Journal, on one of four counts, three of which are still to be passed upon. Besides a fine of £500 (normally $2500), the proprietors are sentenced to six months' imprisonment each. Actions against British newspapers, even at the height of the war feeling, never resulted in sentences of such a character.

The sentences are the result of the publication of a statement of a man that it was locally believed black and tans were involved in an ambush leading to the death of one and the wounding of another Constable. They were convicted of "spreading a false report intended to cause disaffection."

During the last few months, according to a compilation made by one Dublin paper, 11 newspapers throughout the country have been bombed, wrecked or burned. They include the Munster News, Leitrim Observer, Nenagh Guardian, Kerry News, Kerry Liberator, Newcastle West Observer, Galway Express, Kerry Sentinel, West Meath Independent, Southern Star and the Enniscorthy Echo.

In one of its editorials recently the Freeman's Journal said: "Newspapers that try to act as a shield to the people; that attempt to expose the outrages committed against the people, take their lives in their hands."

Military authorities served notice that municipal buildings in Castle street will be taken over by the military Monday. This, it is stated by municipal officials, means the practical dislocation of municipal business and the disorganization of the city's staffs.

INVESTIGATORS ASK BRITAIN TO ALTER PASSPORT RULING

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committee of Americans to visit British territory to obtain information about conditions in Ireland might be altered is expressed in a letter sent today to the British Embassy by the commission of the Committee of One Hundred investigating the Irish question.

"If your letter were to represent the final opinion of the British Government," the commission wrote, "certain regretable conclusions would seem to follow. It would seem to imply autocratic interference on the part of the Government with the free communication of friendly peoples."

The letter went on to say that the commission would continue its work "in conformity with its original purpose" and that it could not but hope that both in England and Ireland there would be a "full understanding" of its friendly purpose.

Man Leaving Church Shot Dead During Raids in Cork.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A brief dispatch received from Cork late last night said there was a general holdup of the public in the streets of Cork by the auxiliary police last evening. Firing was heard in various parts of the city.

A man leaving a church was shot dead. There was much alarm in the streets, which were quickly deserted.

Irish Curate Will Be Allowed to Sail for U. S.

By the Associated Press.

BELFAST, Dec. 9.—The Rev. O. W. Mehan, senior Catholic curate of Castlebar Parish, County Mayo, who was arrested, Oct. 12, for alleged connection with extensive raids in that district, was released today. He will be allowed to go to the United States, it was announced.

PLANS TO EXTEND KOCH HOSPITAL PREMISES MADE

Plans for the extension of the Koch Hospital premises, south of Jefferson Barracks, and the building of a new $100,000 hospital for incipient tuberculosis patients, were announced today by Director Schmoll of the Department of Public Welfare.

Schmoll plans to ask the approval of the supervisory committee, named to direct the expenditure of bond issue funds, for a plan for obtaining an additional 50 acres, south of the present site of 114 acres. The procedure would be to obtain the passage of an ordinance by the Board of Aldermen, authorizing the City Counselor to file condemnation proceedings in the St. Louis County Circuit Court, to obtain the land. It is the property of Albert Bussen, and he has asked $1000 an acre for it, while Schmoll thinks $200 an acre should be enough.

The city, under the charter, has the power to obtain land in St. Louis County for municipal purposes, by condemnation proceedings. Schmoll said he hoped no obstacle would be raised in the county, and pointed out that the new institution, like other city institutions, would be available to county patients at the actual cost of care and treatment.

The proposed hospital for incipient cases would be separated by a screen of trees from the quarters for advanced cases, and would be kept as far distant from it as possible. One of the bond issue items which passed May 11, that for a municipal farm, contained an item of $280,000 for a sanitarium for incipient tubercular patients, and this would provide the funds for the proposed addition.

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HITCHCOCK TO DISCUSS LEAGUE WITH HARDING

Nebraska Senator, Who Led Fight for Ratification, to Be One of First to Go to Marion.

By the Associated Press.

MARION, O., Dec. 9.—Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who led President Wilson's Senate fight for ratification of the Versailles treaty, and Senator Shields of Tennessee, an opponent of unreserved ratification, will be among the first Democrats to be consulted by President-elect Harding in his conferences on the League of Nations, beginning next week. He also will ask the advice of several prominent women regarding the league.

Senator Harding has not decided whether he will resign from the Senate sooner than he had planned, upon Gov. Cox's promise to appoint Frank B. Willis, a Republican, to succeed him.

The "meeting of minds" he promised during the campaign will begin early next week after the Senator has put into more concrete form the questions he wants to ask those who come here to confer with him. The League of Nations will be foremost in his discussions, but several other problems will be kept in mind as he gathers advice and prepares himself for executive responsibility.

Mr. Harding has declared many times since he was nominated that there are urgent questions to be decided in the nation's domestic affairs and to these he will give attention in some of his conferences here. For one thing he has advocated a reorganization of several Government departments to insure greater business efficiency, and he is expected before March 4 to discuss that subject with some of the country's most successful business executives. Meantime, too, he must choose his Cabinet and must frame the taxation program he will recommend to the extra session of Congress to be followed soon after his inauguration. Upon most of these subjects he made some progress during his two-day visit in Washington.

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Shoulders; lb.....15½c
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MAN SHOT WHEN TRYING TO CATCH FLEEING ROBBERS

Men Had Severely Beaten and Choked Woman in Her Home After Demanding Her Money.

BOY, 15, CAUGHT AFTER A HOLDUP

Tells Woman He Had Halted He Did It "Just for Fun" — Merchant Robbed of $280 in Store.

Fred W. Olive, 54 years old, of 2719A Armand place, was shot in the right shoulder at 6:50 o'clock last night when he tried to head off two robbers in their flight from the home of Mrs. Lydia Breitkreutz, 27, of 1500A Menard street, after they had beaten and choked Mrs. Breitkreutz.

Mrs. Breitkreutz was preparing supper in the kitchen, her husband, Emil Breitkreutz, a baker, not having returned home from work. Her children, Walter, 5, and Adele, 3, were playing on the floor. In response to a knock at the back door Mrs. Breitkreutz asked who was there.

"It's John, and I want to see Breitkreutz," replied a masculine voice.

Mrs. Breitkreutz opened the door and two men pushed their way into the flat.

Demanded Money From Woman.

"We want your money," said one of the men, as the two produced revolvers, "and don't you scream."

Mrs. Breitkreutz did scream and one of the men knocked her down with a blow on the head. Then the children began screaming. Mrs. Breitkreutz got up and was knocked down again. One of the robbers took his handkerchief from his pocket and forced it into her mouth and held it there with his hand. Mrs. Breitkreutz struggled and was knocked down again. The robbers then ran away.

Olive, who was across the street, saw the men run through the hallway adjoining the Breitkreutz home, and, hearing Mrs. Breitkreutz and her children screaming, blocked the street entrance of the hallway, and asked the fleeing men what the trouble was. They pushed him aside, and Olive grabbed one of them.

As Olive was wrestling about with the robber the latter snapped his revolver several times. One bullet hit Olive and two others barely missed him. As the robber fired a fourth shot his companion staggered and leaned against a building.

Woman Ordered Away.

Mrs. Hattie Arato of 1508 Menard street appeared at her front door and the robber leaning against the house ordered her to get back.

"I've been shot," he said, "and the best thing for you to do is to stay inside."

The robbers then ran south on Menard street, one limping and clinging to the other for support. Olive was taken to the city hospital. A physician said that Mrs. Breitkreutz was suffering from concussion of the brain.

Mrs. Breitkreutz turned over to the police a man's handkerchief bearing the initials "B. R.", and said it was the one which had been stuffed into her mouth by the robber.

The police are working on the theory that last night's incident was a sequel to what occurred at the Breitkreutz home Nov. 9, when, during the absence of the family, Alois Scharl, a tailor, downstairs, caught two men tampering with a small wall safe in the Breitkreutz flat. Scharl got a revolver and went upstairs after the robbers, one of whom jumped from a front window. The robbers escaped in an automobile which was waiting for them and in which a third man was sitting. Breitkreutz told the police later that he had only $35 in the safe.

Youth Caught After Holdup.

Richard Wood Jr., 15, of 5030 Enright avenue, held up Mrs. Gertrude Dorsey of 5092A Kensington avenue in front of 5219 Kensington avenue at 7:30 p. m.

"I have no money, as I am on my way from church," said Mrs. Dorsey, as the boy pointed a revolver at her and ordered her to put up her hands.

"Oh, I ain't robbing any church members," said the boy, and he walked away.

Mrs. Dorsey hurried home and telephoned to the Page Boulevard Police Station. Motor Cycle Policemen Haycraft and Knox responded, and at Union boulevard and Kensington avenue their cycle car hit a sand pile and they were thrown out. Patrolmen Bobbitt and Miller, in another cycle car, were riding east on Kensington and they took up the mission. At Academy and Kensington avenues they found Wood. He had an empty revolver in his pocket. Mrs. Dorsey identified the prisoner and he admitted that he had held her up, but said he did it "just for fun." He was sent to the House of Detention.

Robbed of $280 in Store.

Chris Anastassoff was locking his confectionery, 4651 Easton avenue, at 12:30 o'clock this morning, when a man knocked at the front door and asked permission to use the telephone, saying that he wanted to call a physician. He was admitted to the store.

As he approached the telephone, the visitor said that he had forgotten the number he wanted to call and asked the proprietor if he would keep the place open for a few minutes. Anastassoff consented.

A few minutes later the man returned with a companion. As they entered the store both drew revolvers and ordered Anastassoff to hold up his hands. They then told him to open the safe and he informed them that it was unlocked. The robbers took $200 from the safe and $80 from the cash register and ran out.

Anastassoff got his revolver and ran to the back door and fired in the air. Then he recalled that the Deer Street Police Station was just across the street and he fired another shot from the front door. Policemen searched the neighborhood, but found no trace of the robbers.

Other Robberies Reported.

George Gilland, 35, of Freeport, Ill., a teamster, was found in a dazed state in front of 4288 Arsenal street at 2 o'clock this morning. He was taken to the city hospital, where doctors said that he was suffering from alcoholism and a cut on the chin. When he was revived Gilland said that he had been robbed of $90 in cash, a check for $400 and a gold watch. He said that he had stopped off in St. Louis on his way from Freeport to Kansas City. He arrived at Union Station at 9 o'clock last night, he said, and a short time later met two men, who invited him to have a drink. He said that was all he could remember.

Samuel Singer of 2956 Dickson street was robbed of $5 by two men, at Grand and Cook avenues, at 6:30 p. m.

Mrs. Rebecca Goldberg of 1399 Shawmut place was robbed of her purse and $43.65 by a man who bumped against her in 3100 block on Sheridan avenue at 6:30 p. m.

COAL, LACLEDE GAS COMPANY CONTRACTED FOR AT $5 A TON, NOW QUOTED AT $4 A TON

Secretary to the Governor of West Virginia Says Coal of the Same Character Is Quoted at $3.50 a Ton.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 9.—The Macbard Coal Co., in circulars to public utilities and other customers today, quoted a price of $4 a ton on mine run Elkhorn coal.

Elkhorn coal is the coal for which the Laclede Gas Light Co. has contracted for 1921 at $5 a ton for 600,000 tons. As is known, this coal cost is the basis of the company's pending application to be permitted to increase its gas rates 47 per cent to $1.25, a rate that will increase the total bill of gas consumers $3,000,000 next year.

The Post-Dispatch on last Friday printed the result of an inquiry among many coal operators, dealers and engineers at Cincinnati and other points as to the fairness of the price of $5, at which the Laclede has contracted to buy 600,000 tons of coal from the Consolidation Coal Co. during 1921.

Without exception, those interviewed expressed the opinion that the Laclede contracted at too high a price. They declared that the market was declining on the date on which the Laclede contracted, Nov. 12. They stated the market price of Elkhorn coal on the day of the interview to be $4.50, and predicted further declines. Some said that they believed the coal could be bought for $3 in the spring.

The Post-Dispatch today received the following telegram from J. W. Weir, secretary to the Governor of West Virginia, at Charleston: "General run of quotations on Elkhorn coal not under $4. High volatile West Virginia coal of the same character as Elkhorn is being quoted at $3.50 a ton."

The Laclede has stated that it is shut out from purchase of coking coal in the West Virginia fields in which there is a large production of high volatile coal by the freight rate which under a tariff to be effective in February will be 49 cents a ton higher than on Elkhorn coal. A freight differential of 49 cents applied to the present price of $3.50 for West Virginia coal would mean a price of $3.99 as compared with the Laclede's contract price of $5.

CITY GETS FIVE DAYS TO FILE BRIEF IN GAS RATE HEARINGS

Company Then Will Have Two Days in Which to File Answer in Favor of Increase.

At the close yesterday of a two-day hearing on the application of the Laclede Gas Light Co. to be permitted to increase its gas rates in St. Louis from 85 cents maximum to $1.25 maximum, or 47 per cent, to household consumers, the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City gave the City Counsellor five days in which to file a brief opposing an advance and the company two days in which to file its answer.

Yesterday's testimony was an endeavor of the company to establish the probability that the prices for coke it has used in its estimates for 1921 supporting its need for rate increase likely are too high and that declines in the market will still further increase the revenue needed from gas if the company is to have a "fair" residue over operating expenses. The city is contending that the company in its estimates should have employed the present price for coke, which is $1.50 per ton higher than the company's estimate of the future price. This difference in coke revenue estimates was the basis of the city's argument that the rates of the company should not be advanced beyond 85 cents.

EFFECT OF RULING IN LIQUOR PENALTY CASE

Decision of Judge Faris May Halt Collection of $200,000 in This District.

The ruling of Judge Faris in the United States District Court yesterday that the Internal Revenue Department has no legal right to levy on property of persons accused of violation of the Volstead act, but that the department should bring civil suits to collect penalties for violation under the Internal Revenue Department regulations, will affect the collection of about $200,000 in penalties which have been assessed in the St. Louis Federal district.

The decision was given in the case of John Kausch, a former saloon keeper of 1726 South Seventh street, who is awaiting trial on a charge of having sold a drink of whisky to a prohibition enforcement agent last July.

The court ruled that Kausch had a legal right to enjoin the seizure of his property to collect penalties amounting to approximately $500 and gave him 10 days in which to file an injunction suit. The decision in this suit, according to Internal Revenue officials, will determine whether the outstanding penalties against other alleged violators may be collected by levy or by civil process.

The Internal Revenue office here has collected $20,000 in penalties without the seizure of property. These collections would not be affected by an injunction ruling in favor of Kausch, internal revenue agents say, but the granting of an injunction to Kausch probably would cause others against whom penalties have been assessed to refuse payment until civil judgments have been rendered against them, as suggested by Judge Faris in his decision in the Kausch case.

THREE YOUNG MEN ADMIT HOLDUP AND TAKING OF $26

Still Found in Operation at Home of One of Trio When Detectives Go to Arrest Him.

Three young men held at police headquarters today confessed they were the robbers who held up Martin Herzog of 1242 Goodfellow avenue at 10:30 p. m. last Saturday night and stole $26 from him. They are Joseph Jablonski, 20 years old, of 5651 Cote Brilliante avenue; Harold E. Woodward, 22, of Pine Lawn, St. Louis County, and Joseph A. Warnke, 23, of 1713 Franklin avenue.

When detectives yesterday went to Jablonski's home to arrest him, they found a still in operation in the kitchen, three barrels of mash and a quart of whisky. They arrested Jablonski's father, Frank Jablonski, on a charge of violating the prohibition laws.

The three men who confessed said the Herzog robbery was the only one they ever committed and said they did it because they were out of work.

Hawes' Country Home Robbed.

Harry B. Hawes of 4411 Westminster place, Congressman-elect from the Eleventh District, said today that robbers had rifled his country home at Gravois and Kenerly roads, near Sunset Hill Country Club, during the last week and stolen articles valued at $250. The most valuable article stolen was an automatic rifle. The robbers ransacked the house generally, but found that most of the articles of value had been removed to the town house. A caretaker lives in a detached cottage on the grounds, but reported hearing nothing.

YOUTH OUSTED FOR DANCING THE SHIMMY AND SUES

Because Arthur Lazenby, a minor, was ejected from a dancehall in Hillsboro, Ill., for dancing the shimmy, he has brought suit for $1000 damages against Roy Disher, who, Lazenby alleges, ejected him. Lazenby claims that he broke his foot when he fell and that he will not be able to dance for some time. Lazenby being under age, the suit is brought by his next friend, John Lazenby.

At a dance given about three weeks ago by the Knights and Ladies of Security, Lazenby, who is about 19 years old, insisted upon dancing the shimmy, it is said, and Disher, the ranking officer of the lodge, ordered him to stop. Lazenby refused. He claims he had a right, under the laws of the United States, those of the State of Illinois and the ordinances of the city of Hillsboro, to dance the shimmy.

Refuses to Approve Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee yesterday refused to approve a treaty negotiated with Great Britain for the extradition of wife deserters from Canada. The prevailing sentiment among members seemed to be that it was a trivial matter. Forty states have laws for the surrender to each other of husbands who desert their wives and families.

STATE OUTLINES CHARGES AGAINST MRS. WOODLOCK

Special Counsel, in Opening Statement, Says It Will Be Shown Woman Shot Her First Husband.

DECLARES GROCER HEARD TWO SHOTS

Tells Jury Storekeeper Will Testify Defendant Visited Shop Between Two Shots in Her Home.

Taking of testimony was begun this afternoon at the trial of Mrs. Lillian Woodlock, 36 years old, on a charge of first-degree murder for the death of her first husband, Thos. P. Broderick, Oct. 6, 1916, at their home, 6122 Wagner place.

Mrs. Woodlock also is awaiting trial on a charge of complicity in the shooting and killing of her second husband, Joseph Woodlock, April 4, 1919.

Her daughter, Ursula Broderick, who was sentenced to serve 10 years in the penitentiary for the killing of Woodlock and is at liberty under a $50,000 appeal bond, was with her mother in court today. She has said that she shot Broderick and the opening statement of the defense today indicated she would so testify.

Statement of Prosecution.

William O. Reeder, former Assistant Circuit Attorney, engaged as special counsel for the State, said in his opening statement that evidence would be introduced to show that Mrs. Woodlock shot Broderick.

He described the two-story home in which the Brodericks lived at the time of the shooting and said that two policemen who had been called to the house by telephone found the defendant, then Mrs. Broderick, and Ursula, then 12 years old, in the front room on the first floor. On the second floor at the top of the stairway, he said, they found Broderick sting in a chair with a sledge hammer in his lap and with a bullet wound in his head. There was a bullet mark in a door behind him and under the chair was a revolver with two empty and three loaded shells.

Broderick Died Without Talking.

The loaded cartridges, he said, were dented, as though an effort had been made to fire them, but they failed to explode. Broderick was alive, but unconscious, and he died a short time later without making a statement.

Reeder said a grocer named Stadler, who then had a store near the Broderick home, would testify that he and his wife heard a shot and that a few minutes later the defendant came into the store and said: "I think he killed himself." When questioned she said she meant her husband. He said the Stadlers would testify that when the defendant entered she had her hands under her apron and that after she departed bloodstains were found on the door through which she passed and on a picket fence near the store.

The Stadlers, he said, would testify that after the defendant left the store and returned to her home they heard a second shot. The police arrived 15 or 20 minutes later.

Reference to Quarrel in Home.

Reeder said it would be shown that the defendant was out until 1 a. m. the night before the shooting and that when she returned home there was a quarrel. She had left Ursula at the home of a friend on Myrtle avenue, he said, and Broderick went out searching for the girl. On the morning of the shooting, he said, the defendant brought the girl back home a short time before Broderick was killed.

He said witnesses would testify that on Oct. 5, the day before the shooting, the defendant told them she "had a gun."

The State, he said, would show that for some time before Broderick's death the defendant had been going out with Joseph Woodlock, whom she afterwards married. Broderick, he said, was buried on a Thursday and Woodlock went to the Broderick home the following Saturday night and lived there several weeks. He said he would prove that mail was delivered to Woodlock there and that a lawyer saw Woodlock leaving the Broderick home.

Counsel Denies She Shot.

It also would be shown, he said, that the defendant once threatened to kill her husband in I. R. Goldberg's plumbing supply store.

In the prosecution Reeder is being assisted by Assistant Circuit Attorney F. E. Williams. The counsel for Mrs. Woodlock are Benjamin L. White and Albert W. Johnson.

White, in outlining the defense, said he would prove that Mrs. Woodlock did not shoot Broderick. When the defendant and Ursula returned home, he said, they found Broderick drunk and abusive. They induced him to lie down, he said, and Ursula found a revolver in his pocket and took it from him. Broderick, he said, then got up and attacked his wife with a sledge hammer. Describing the defense's version of the shooting, he pointed to Ursula and said:

"That child, in defense of her mother and to prevent her father from being branded as a murderer, closed her eyes and pulled the trigger several times." He said witnesses would testify they heard Ursula say to the defendant: "I shot him, mamma."

NUMBER OF MEN OTHER CITIES USE ON POLICE DUTY

Figures Obtained From New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland and Boston.

Following Chief O'Brien's announcement, last Saturday, that he was considering a request on the Legislature for an increase of approximately 1000 members in the police force, the Post-Dispatch has obtained, from its correspondents in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland and Boston, the figures as to the number of policemen employed in those cities.

Of the cities named, the first five outrank St. Louis in population in the 1920 census, while Boston is below St. Louis. The population figures are: New York, 5,621,151; Chicago, 2,701,212; Philadelphia, 1,823,158; Detroit, 993,739; Cleveland, 796,834; St. Louis, 772,897; Boston, 747,923.

Chief O'Brien, in discussing the proposed request for more policemen, said the total membership of the police force was 1600 in round numbers, but that not more than 900 patrolmen are on beat duty, engaged in the actual work of crime-prevention, in any 24-hour period. As the force works in three eight-hour shifts, the three-platoon system, this would mean that, at any particular time of day or night, about 300 policemen are on beats throughout the city, engaged in the work of crime-prevention.

Figures on Other Cities.

The difference between the 1600 and the 900, the Chief said, is accounted for by the number of officers, the detective force of 157, the traffic squad of 75 men, the automobile squad, details at 100 or more school buildings at certain hours of the day, and the number of men absent on furloughs and because of illness.

The figures from other cities, beginning with those nearest to St. Louis in population, are as follows:

Boston—Total membership of police force, 1600. Number of patrolmen, 1385. All these except the traffic squad, numbering 100, are on regular patrol duty. Boston has only 30 detectives, who are known as inspectors. Boston has a night force and a day force, day men working 10 hours, and night men in two seven-hour shifts. Number of policemen on beat duty at one time is sometimes as high as 500.

Cleveland—Total membership of force, 1174; patrolmen, 925; patrolmen on beat duty, about 700; three-platoon system.

Detroit—Total membership of force, 1800; patrolmen on foot duty and motor patrols, actively engaged in crime-prevention duty, 811; three-platoon system.

Philadelphia—Total membership of force, about 4700; policemen on beats, in active crime-prevention duty, 3850; three-platoon system.

Chicago and New York.

Chicago—Total of force, 5100; patrolmen on beats, foot 1718, mounted 132; in active crime-prevention duty, 1850; combination of two and three platoon system.

New York—Total in force, 11,327; patrolmen on beats, 9191; three-platoon system; more than 1000 of force usually on furlough and sick leave, leaving about 8000 on duty daily, and one-third of that number, 2667, at any hour of day or night.

The Public Safety Council has appointed a committee to aid in the preparation of legislation for the proposed increase in the police force. Hugh K. Wagner is chairman, and other members are C. Howard Stewart, Walter D. Thompson, E. J. Troy, James A. McKeown, Joseph M. Ebeling, Dr. Rudolph S. Vitt and Judge Moses Hartmann.

Proposal to Buy Merchants' Bridge.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 9.—The St. Louis Merchants' Bridge Terminal Railway Co. filed a petition with the State Public Utilities Commission today asking for an order authorizing it to purchase the St. Louis Merchants' Bridge Co. The same company also filed a petition asking for authority to purchase the Madison, Illinois & St. Louis Railway Co. The petitioning company and the two companies which it is proposed to purchase are owned by the same parties and the proceeding is merely a legal formality. The consideration in each case is given as $1. Both petitions were set for hearing for next Monday in Springfield.

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EXPRESS CLERK AT HOME OF BRIDE WHEN ARRESTED

Arthur Bennett Smith Tells at Spokane of Marriage Nov. 29 Before Going to Ranch House.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 9.—Arthur Bennett Smith, lately money clerk of the American Railway Express Co. in St. Louis, has related to special agents of that company here, since his arrest on a charge of stealing Liberty Bonds, that he was married in Spokane Nov. 29. He said the ranch at Ione, Wash., near the border of British Columbia, where he was staying when he was arrested, was the home of his wife's folks.

Smith, whose return to St. Louis was delayed, and who is now not scheduled to reach St. Louis before next Monday, said he lost, in St. Louis, most of the $11,700 which he has admitted that he obtained by pawning the stolen bonds.

He said that, at the time of his departure from St. Louis, Oct. 18, which was a week after he disappeared from the company's office at Twentieth street and Clark avenue, he had only about $500 with him.

Tells of Gambling Losses.

He said, as has been told previously, that gambling caused his losses, but he now relates that he did not take up gambling until a few months ago, and he told of losing large sums in gambling in St. Louis establishments, and at the race track at Lexington, Ky.

"I never gambled in my life before last September," Smith said. "I was coaxed into a dice game in one of the St. Louis gambling houses. They had to show me how to throw the dice. I lost about $6000 this way in a few days.

"I was still at work when this happened, and I raised money by pawning Liberty Bonds taken from the company. I divided my crap-shooting between a gambling place run by a politician on Olive street and another place downtown, where they had about $50 worth of cigars as a blind and about $2000 worth of dice.

"I played first at the Olive street place, plunging heavily, then went to the other house, where I shot as high as $500 a throw. When I went back to the first place, they put a limit of $50 on the game, refusing to let me shoot more. They were sore because I had lost so much at the other house, and would give me no chance to get back what I had lost with them.

"Left St. Louis With $500."

"This all took place early in September. I lost my own money first and then took the bonds, hoping to get even.

"Being so far in the hole, I took a few days off and went to Lexington, where I plunged on the races, hoping to recoup my losses and make good what I had taken. I bet $2000 on a horse and got odds of 6½ to 1. The horse had come in first only four days before, when odds of 30 to 1 were placed against it. You can imagine how I felt when I made that bet. If I won, I was square and could breathe freely. If I lost, I knew everything was lost, and I could not make good what I had taken.

"The horse came in first. I thought I was clear, but when the winners were posted, my horse was not mentioned. They disqualified him for some reason. I was frenzied, and plunged on the next three races, all on favorites, and lost on every one.

"I dropped $6000 in three hours. When I left St. Louis Oct. 11 I had only $500. The rest of the money the bookmakers and the crap operators got. I planned to go to Honolulu. I had to go some place and thought I might get away there. I stopped off at the Grand Canyon in Arizona for a while and then came farther West. My money ran out and I had to give up my Honolulu plans and hunt work. Then they caught me. I did not intend to take the money, only to borrow it and repay it."

"A man in St. Louis encouraged me in the idea of taking the bonds, and knowing that I was playing the races and gambling with dice, he tried to get me to buy oil stock. He also proposed that I buy stock in a silver mine in Idaho, which, I have learned since I came out here, is not in a mining region at all."

Smith has said that $15,000 will cover all the bonds he took. This is not believed by C. J. Abbott of St. Louis, a special agent of the express company, who caused Smith to be held here longer than was first intended, in order that he might question him further. Abbott says there are still bonds to the amount of $17,000 to be accounted for, besides the $15,000 worth which Smith admits having taken and pawned in St. Louis. Abbott said he believed some of the bonds were disposed of in Spokane.

Smith, who has expressed willingness to return without extradition proceedings, said he would plead guilty to the theft of the bonds.

BREAKFAST SPECIALS

Swift's Premium Home-Boiled Ham lb. 90c

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Sliced, pound 55c
Piece, pound, ...50c
Swift's Silver Leaf Lard, lb. pkg. 25c
Pork Tenderloin, lb.....60c
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Swift's Brookfield Sausage, 35c
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Fancy Brookfield Butter, lb, 49c

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Elgin Creamery, lb.....45c
Best Elgin Creamery, lb....48c
Fancy Premium Creamery..50c
Swift's Premium Rolls; country style.....37c
Don't miss this bargain—Real saving in your butter bills, articles of real merit.
Swift's Gem Nut. lb.....30c
Swift's Snow Flake, lb....35c
Domestic Swiss Cheese, lb..80c
Sapsago Cheese; each.....15c
Liederkranz Cheese, each...25c
Imp. Roquefort Cheese...$1.20

Compare My Coffee Values

Premium Blend Coffee, pound.....40c
Premium Santos Blend Coffee, pound..35c
Forbes' Quality Brand Package Teas...80c
Forbes' Blue Mountain Brand Pkg. Teas.90c
A 5c LB. REDUCTION ON BUTTER WITH EACH PURCHASE OF A POUND OF COFFEE OR TEA
Forbes' Baking Powder.....25c

WM. DUGGAN
UNION MARKET

SHOPLIFTERS TO BE TREATED THE SAME AS OTHER THIEVES

Chief of Detectives Says They Will Be Photographed for Rogues' Gallery.

St. Louis shoplifters are to be handled in future the same as other thieves, Chief of Detectives Hannegan announced today. They will be protographed for the Rogues' Gallery, their Bertillon measurements and finger prints will be taken and they will be prosecuted. Their photographs and measurements and finger prints will be sent to other cities.

The practice has been to let these offenders off easy, particularly women, who largely predominate. When caught they were taken to Police Headqdarters and the women, usually, were placed in charge of the matron. If housewives, their homes were searched and if no additional stolen goods were found they were usually released later, at most a night in the matron's room.

$15,000 SUIT FOLLOWS ARREST FOR PARKING

Broker Takes Action Against Furniture Firm for Prosecuting Case.

Suit was filed yesterday in Circuit Court by Roy P. Atwood of 15 Southmoor, St. Louis County, a hay and grain broker, with offices in the Pierce Building, for $15,000 damages against the Manne Bros. Furniture Co., 5615 Delmar boulevard; Harry and Joseph Manne and the Famous Players Missouri Corporation, for alleged false arrest and prosecution, growing out of the parking of his automobile in front of the Manne company's store between two no-parking standards.

About 8 o'clock in the evening of Nov. 3 last Atwood drove with his wife to the Delmonte Theater, 5630 Delmar, and parked his automobile across the street from the theater in front of the Manne company's store and he was told by representatives of the owners of the store and of the theater to remove it, as the Director of Streets and Sewers had restricted the space in front of the store against automobile parking, according to the petition.

It is further set forth in the petition that Atwood refused to move the automobile and went into the theater, where a policeman, acting for agents of the defendants, arrested him, taking him to the Page Boulevard Station, where he was compelled to give bond for his release.

He was subsequently tried in Police Court and discharged by Judge Mix, who held that the city ordinance restricing parking spaces, which takes into consideration the public convenience and conditions of traffic, did not apply in this case.

Atwood asks for $5000 actual and $10,000 punitive damages.

Postoffice Clerks Elect Women.

Women clerks were elected to office in the St. Louis Postoffice Clerks' Association, a branch of a national association, recently, for the first time. Miss Florence E. Smith was elected recording secretary and Miss Eunice M. Hilker, treasurer. David F. Monahan was re-elected president and the other officers chosen are Leo T. Neu, vice president; Max Schmidt, financial secretary, and Richard Morris, Carl Rotteck and Hugo Hillig, Advisory Board. The officers will be installed Jan. 9 at Keystone Hall, 3619 Finney avenue.

Women's Footwear

(Oxfords and Boots)

Decisively Reduced

Remarkably severe price cutting is in effect here, and involves regular Swope Footwear of seasonable character. The saving opportunities are practically unlimited.

High Shoes Formerly $15 and $16 **$7.85**

A new model of black kid has been added to this remarkable sale lot, which comprises Boots of black and brown kid with combination tops of cloth and kid—and one bronze kid boot model.

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POLICEMEN ANSWERING BURGLAR CALL FIND 3 BOYS UNDER BED

Jewelry Valued at $75 Found on Floor Beside Them—One, 16, Turned Over to Father.

Policemen summoned to the home of Philip Alberts, 2223 North Market street, by neighbors at 3 p. m. yesterday were told there were burglars in the house. Policemen were stationed at both front and rear doors and Sergt. Antram went in through the kitchen door which he found was unlocked.

Beneath a bed in the middle room he found three boys, one 16 years old and the others 17 years old. Beside them on the floor was jewelry valued at $75 taken from dresser drawers in the Alberts' home.

At the police station the boys admitted gaining entrance to the home by using a duplicate key on the kitchen door. The youngest was turned over to his father and the others held for investigation. The boys live in the neighborhood.

NEW C. OF C. BRANCH PLANNED

Known as National Association of "Community Builders."

A national association of "community builders" will be formed in the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow at a meeting called by Carl J. Baer, manager of the Production Bureau of the St. Louis Chamber, to which many inquiries have been addressed from other cities following publicity given to the organization of the local bureau.

The purpose of the national organization will be the standardization of development work as related to the co-ordination of city and country. The new society is designed to sell this development service at cost.

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Dresses in Pastel Colors

Embraced in this great sale are Dresses suitable for evening, dinner, dance or party wear, in a variety of pastel colorings, such as

Flame *Pink* *Flesh*
Turquoise *White* *Jade Green*
New Blue *Peach* *Orchid*

Sizes to 52!

Misses' Sizes, 14, 16, 18, 20
Women's Sizes, 36, 38, 40, 42
And Extra Sizes Up to 52

Tomorrow we present one of our very best Dress sales. An occasion that from all angles—high qualities, vast assortments, exquisite styles and marvelous savings—equals, if not surpasses, any of our noted Dress events of the past. A collection of Dresses constituting the cream of the fashion world—the product of high-grade makers only—and the kind that you rarely see on special sale. Included are many exclusive one and two of a kind Dresses, also scores of copies of expensive, highest type originals. Not an old style among them, all are the very newest creations, featuring designs, colors and trimming touches of indescribable beauty.

All Sales Final!
—No Exchanges
—No Approvals
—No Returns

Exquisitely Styled Evening, Afternoon and Street Dresses

—Silk Duvetyns
—Embroidered Tricotines
—Beaded Tricotines
—Charmeuse Dresses
—Chiffon Velvets
—Lace Combinations
—Beaded Georgettes
—Kitten's-Ear Crepes
—Mignonettes
—Velvets
—Tricolettes
—Velours

Superb Pastel Colored Evening Dresses of Plain or Beaded Georgettes and Combinations

Entire Fourth Floor Devoted to This Sale.

—Extra Salespeople and Wrappers.
—Sale Starts Promptly at 9 A. M.

See Our Downstairs Store Advertisement on Page 27

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

A "Bargain Friday" for Christmas Shoppers

Jersey Silk

Knickerbockers

Special, $3.95

THESE are in three-quarter and full length and can be had in any of the newest Fall shades to match the suit or frock.

Finished at bottom with deep accordion plaited ruffle. Some are trimmed with band of contrasting colored jersey. Elastic band at waistline. At Friday's price they are very special. (Main Floor.)

Adler's Gloves

For Women

$4.25 Pair

GAUNTLET Gloves, of good quality capeskin, in brown, tan and beaver. Mostly all with strap wrist and mostly brown shade.

Children's Kid Gloves

Special, $1.50 Pair

Black, brown and tan Kid Gloves, with warm fleece lining. Sizes 1 to 8. (Main Floor.)

Friday Specials on

THRIFT AVENUE

The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Toilet Water, $1.19

Mary Garden Toilet Water; small size, $1.19; medium size $2.50 (No mail or phone orders filled.) (On Thrift Avenue.)

Pillowcases, $1.25 Pair

Stamped Pillowcases, with hemstitched hem. Good assortment of designs. Size 42x34 inches. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Writing Paper, 39c Box

White and tinted Stationery, 24 sheets and 24 envelopes—all ribbon tied and neatly packed in gift box. Just 500 boxes to offer. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Toy Tea Sets, $1.19

Thirteen-piece China Tea Sets, for little girls' tea parties. (On Thrift Avenue.)

Wool Scarfs, $5.98

Brushed Wool Scarfs, in most pleasing color combinations—tan and brown, brown and tan, lavender and purple, Copenhagen and beaver, are just a few of the lovely colorings. All are made with pockets and belt. (Square 9.)

Blanket Robes, $4.95

Women's Beacon Blanket Robes—made of the very finest material—in a large assortment of patterns, including plaids. Plainly tailored, with bias sateen fold on collars and sleeves. Sizes 36 to 46. (Square 7.)

Silk Camisoles, $1.19

Crepe de Chine Camisoles, in flesh color. Yoke trimmed back and front with Val. lace. Have built-up shoulders. (Escalator Square.)

Hosiery

For Women, Men and Children

BEING classed among the useful gifts, Hosiery may be given with the assurance that the recipient will be pleased.

Fancy Silk Stockings, Special, $3.85 Pair

Fine lace and open-clock Silk Stockings. Several different patterns. All-silk or lisle tops; well reinforced at wearing points.

Silk and Fiber Stockings, 79c

Women's Black, Brown and White Silk and Fiber Stockings, with reinforced lisle heels, toes and garter tops.

Men's Wool-Mixed Socks, 69c

Two-tone combinations in Men's Wool-Mixed Socks, with double heels and toes.

Children's Sport Socks, Special, $2.50 Pair

Wool-mixed Sport Socks, in several different colors, made with fancy turnover cuff tops. (Main Floor.)

Sample Neckwear

A Christmas Offer

at $1.50

DAINTY Neckpieces for most any frock or suit, including Collars, Sets, Guimpes, Vestees and many novelty pieces, from one of New York's most prominent neckwear manufacturers. There is a wide range of materials, with trimmings of lace or embroidered; others in all-lace effects.

Large Middy Ties, of fine quality messaline, in black, cardinal, navy and green $1.25

Roll Collars, of fine net embroidered in pretty designs; also fine lace edges and a wide range of Venise Lace Tuxedo Collars 98c (Main Floor.)

Corduroy Robes

Are Underpriced

at $8.50

THE quality of these Robes is remarkable at this price, and are the kind that most any woman would be proud to own.

They are of brocaded corduroy, and may be had in rose, American Beauty, pink and lavender. Made without lining. All sizes for women. (Second Floor.)

Gift Umbrellas

For Men and Women

Special, $5.00

GLORIA Silk Umbrellas, with handles of ebony, mission carved and bakulite trimmings, finished with large white or colored ring; others have wrist cords. The men's handles are in opera and Prince of Wales styles. All are fitted with tight-roll silk cases.

Children's Umbrellas, $1.45

Built on strong frames and covered with a good grade of cotton taffeta. Handles are in straight corded and hook styles. (Main Floor.)

A Month Ahead of Time!

The Clearing Sale

Of Women's and Misses' Apparel—A Feature for This Sale Is a Group of

Suits and Dresses

Both the women who give high rank to style and those who deem utility essential will be enthusiastic about these Suits. They come in velour, silvertone, Oxford, tricotine and two-tone materials, tailored or semi-tailored.

At $25

The real bargain you have been looking for awaits you in this group of Dresses. They far surpass the average in quality and are refreshingly original in design. Silk, Georgette, yalama, serge and tricotine Dresses are included.

Other Suits and Dresses are specially priced at $35, $45, $65 and upwards.

Women's Coats at $35

MOST worthy of featuring are Coats at this price. Warm, substantial, good-looking affairs they prove forceful arguments for the splendid values possible in our clearing sale of ready-to-wear.

Other Coats are reduced to sell at $25, $55, $75, $95 and upwards. (Third Floor.)

A Sale of Great Importance Brings Manufacturer's Overstock and Samples of

Georgette Blouses

at $7.50

FRIDAY brings a sale of Blouses of merit unequaled in many months. Overproduction caused a manufacturer to sell very low, and you are given the benefit of his reduction.

Added to this group are sample Blouses, making a lot of extremely attractive Blouses at a rarely advantageous price. What luck, when Blouses make such splendid Christmas gifts. (Third Floor.)

Lingerie

A SALE that presents more acceptable prices on silk and Philippine wear. Just such pieces as delight as dainty Christmas gifts are included in this special selling. In every instance the price is splendidly advantageous to the purchaser.

Philippine Wear, $2.98

Nightgowns, Envelope Suits and Straight Chemises of fine nainsook, beautifully embroidered.

Special at $3.98

Nightgowns and Envelope Suits, trimmed with real Filet medallions and hand embroidery.

Special at $5.00

Nightgowns and Envelope Suits of finest nainsook, embroidered and trimmed with hand drawnwork and real lace.

Silk Lingerie at $3.98

Nightgowns and Envelope Suits of crepe de chine, delicately pink. They are trimmed with Georgette, lace and hand embroidery—some of the gowns are tailored style.

At $4.98

Nightgowns and Envelope Suits of pink crepe de chine. The gowns are trimmed with hemstitching, lace and tucks. The envelope suits have embroidery designs, lace and hemstitching for trimming.

Silk Camisoles, special at $1.50 $1.98 $2.25 $2.98 (Second Floor.)

Japanese Robes

and Quilts for Babies

at Special Prices

Infants' Japanese Robes of pink or blue satin, hand-embroidered in dainty sprays $3.98

Infants' Japanese Quilts of pink or blue habutai satin, elaborately embroidered and hand tufted, special $3.98

Kimonos and Mandarin Coats of Japanese silk, in pink or blue, with embroidered designs, sizes 2 to 6 years; special, $3.50

Infants' Japanese Quilts of pink or blue satin, with hand-embroidered dainty designs; hand-tufted; very special $2.98 (Second Floor.)

1000 Pairs of Japanese

Cuff Links

at 49c

THESE novelty Damescene Cuff Links are quite different from the usual kind and are very good looking. Each pair is in a wooden gift box. (Main Floor.)

Sterling Silver

Belt Buckle

Complete With Leather Belt

$3.45

THESE make very acceptable gifts for men or boys. You have choice of various style engraved buckles. The belt is of black leather. (Main Floor.)

Women's Handkerchiefs, 50c Box

Each box contains three Handkerchiefs, of sheer quality lawn or batiste, effectively embroidered in one-corner design. (Main Floor.)

Adler's Gloves

For Men

Special, $2.50 *Pair*

A REMARKABLE offering in these high-grade Gloves for men, coming just at a time when they are wanted for gifts as well as for personal use.

Mocha, Suede, Chamois and Capeskin Gloves, with pique and prix seams, spear and embroidered backs. Also Silk-lined Gloves in great variety. May be had in tan, brown, gray, beaver and chamois. Regular and cadet sizes, from 7 to 10. (Main Floor.)

Knitted Mufflers

For Men—Very Special

at $1.15

THESE Mufflers are in various solid colors and two-tone effects, with fancy border and fringed ends. They are slight irregulars of a large maker. (Main Floor.)

Correspondence Cards

Special at 89c *Box*

THESE are the popular double Cards, of linen-finish stock, with gold corners. 24 cards and 24 envelopes, nicely ribbon tied. (Main Floor.)

Pearl-Handled

Table Pieces

$1.00 *Each*

PIE Knives, Cake Knives, Cold Meat Forks, Gravy Ladles, etc. Large pieces, with sterling ferrules and silver-plated implements. Just 400 pieces to offer.

These are inexpensive yet desirable gifts. (Main Floor.)

Art Needlework

Cretonne Work Boxes, fitted with thimble, bodkin and stiletto; various shapes and sizes $1.75 to $5.95

Work Baskets, various shapes and sizes, with bead trimming 39c to $8.95

Hand-Painted Work Baskets $3.50 to $8.95

Fitted Work Baskets, various sizes $2.95 to $19.50

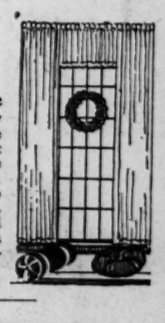
Corsage Bouquets, made of organdie or wool; others of satin ribbon 39c to $1.50

Madeira Boudoir Pillowslips, hand-embroidered in elaborate designs on batiste or linen, special $2.95 to $5.95 (Second Floor.)

Silk Overdraperies

Special,

$5.95 *Pair*



THE style is here illustrated, and they may be had in rose, blue and green. Have neat hemstitched hem and are complete with valance. All headed, ready to hang. 2½ yards long. The housewife would appreciate these as a gift. They are exceptional values. (Sixth Floor.)

High-Grade Aluminumware

PIECES that are suitable for gifts, and each article is put up in a neat box, ready for presentation.

Coffee Percolators, $3.95

"Mirro" Aluminum Coffee Percolators, choice of two attractive shapes, with black ebony handles and glass top; 8-cup capacity.

Tea Ball Pots, of "Mirro" aluminum — a practical little bowl-shape teaball pot, 5-cup capacity, with removable tea ball $2.49

Teakettles of "Mirro" aluminum, in panel shape, 5-quart capacity $6.95

Double Boilers, $4.45

Of "Mirro" aluminum, panel shape, with aluminum cover that fits both vessels so they may be used separately; 2-quart capacity.

Coffee Percolators, "West Bend" high-grade aluminum, 9-cup capacity $5.95

Hot Water Bottles, $4.50

Of "Mirro" aluminum, guaranteed not to leak; 1½-quart capacity. In neat gift box.

Crumb Sets, of "Mirro" aluminum, tray and scraper to match $1.30

Cake Pans, of "Mirro' aluminum, medium size, with loose bottom and tube $1.75

Child's Cup, of "Mirro" aluminum, attractive little cups in neat gift boxes 25c and 50c

Salt and Pepper Shakers of "Mirro" aluminum, made with loaded bottoms 25c pair

Egg and Beet Slicers, of "Mirro" aluminum, for cutting eggs or beets used for garnishing $1.45

Water Pitchers of "Mirro" aluminum, 2-quart, put up in neat gift box $4.25 (Fifth Floor.)

Toytown Specials for Friday

Mirroscope, $5.75

A postcard projecting machine, with strong reflectors, to be used on any electric light; guaranteed.

American Lead Soldiers, on hinge base 98c

Shoot the Chutes Roller Coasters, folding style $5.49

Roller Top Desks, with chair to match, strongly built of hardwood, large size $12.75

Child's Rocking Chair, well built of hardwood $2.39

Doll Beds, strong and durable, white enamel finish $2.69

Jitney Kiddy Cars, medium size $1.98

Horsehead Sticks, with small wheel at end 49c

Geographical Lotto, an instructive game for children, teaches them the cities and capitals of the United States 49c

Automobiles, with rubber-tired wheels $6.95

Jointed Dolls, $6.95

Full-jointed Dolls, with long curly hair, bisque head and moving eyes.

Chemcraft for boys; teaches chemical experiments with harmless chemicals $1.50 to $10.00

Meccano, engineering for boys $1.50 to $20.00

"American Flyer" Mechanical Trains, with guaranteed engines $1.95 to $10.00

Toy Ironing Boards 39c

Simplex Typewriters, for boys or girls $1.50, $3.00 and $5.00

Talking Machine, $6.98

"Alure" Toy Talking Machine, will play Emerson or Edison records.

Doll Furniture Sets, consisting of six pieces 69c

Doll Perambulators, $4.95

Made with wood body, folding hood and rubber-tired wheels. (Fifth Floor.)

A Popular Victor Record
which is being sung this week at the American Theater.
64901—Honour and Love (From "Monsieur Beaucaire")
$1.25 —McCormack
Music Salon—Sixth Floor.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

A Popular Victor Record
18650—That Naughty Waltz.....Smith's Orchestra
85c In Your Arms—Medley Fox Trot
—Selvin's Novelty Orchestra
Music Salon—Sixth Floor.

Store Hours: 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6 • • • *Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth*

Getting Everybody Ready to Make Everybody Merry Christmas Day Is a Big Business Things Will Roll Along Better if Somebody Shops Before 11 A. M. Can't You?

Little Girls, Attention!

Have You Seen the Beautiful Dolls in the Toy Shop—There Seems to Be 'Bout a Million of Them

OH! oh! oh! there are so many different kinds and sizes of Dolls—they are just the loveliest Dolls you ever saw—just made for cuddling.

Santa Claus left them here—to meet you—and they do so want you to come and see them and love them.

There are Dolls that walk—Dolls that talk—wee baby Dolls—saucy boy and girl Dolls and beautiful Dolls dressed in pretty clothes, and Dolls waiting to be dressed.

And the Character Baby Dolls are adorable—with bisque heads and composition bodies, they have moving eyes and real eyelashes, and are priced from **$7.00 to $24.50**

Other Dolls of every description are priced from **10c to $34.75**

There are many Toys for girls and boys, including—

Sandy Andy Tea Sets **$5**
Doll Furniture Sets **$1.25**
Sail Boats **$15.00**
Drums **35c to $6.50**
Automobiles **$9.50 to $39**
Hand Kars **$20.50 to $31.50**
Desk and Chair Sets **$10.75 to $26.00**
De Haviland Airplanes **$12.50**
Sleds **$5.75 to $23.00**
2-Pass. Merry-Go-Rounds **$16.50**
4-Pass. Merry-Go-Rounds **$24.75**
Rocking Horses **$8.75 to $28.00**
Bubble Books **$1.50**
Phonograph (Baby Cabinet) **$10.00**
Toy Theaters **$10.00**
Ives' Boats; a display that will surely please the real American boy **$3.00 to $5.00**
Purple Seal Playthings, sets, **35c to $12.00**
Simplex Typewriters **$1.50 to $5.00**
—Also all kinds of games for young and old.

Mothers—That all of the Dolls at your house may be well and strong for Christmas

Consult the Doll Doctor

He prescribes treatment at once. No matter what their illness they will be made well again in the Doll Hospital. For this hospital has legs, arms, hair, heads and bodies to distribute among the ailing and this doctor does wonders in reconstruction work.

There is no end to what he can do if he is only given time—and how happy Betty will be to find the cherished Mary Jane has regained her eyesight and her crowning glory. What a joyous family reunion on Christmas morning.

Toy Shop—Second Floor.

PETTICOATS
—A Splendid Gift Suggestion

Smart models for suit, evening and negligee wear. Ready for your choosing here.

Special Sale of Silk Petticoats at $3.98

These attractive new Petticoats may be chosen with messaline or jersey tops and taffeta or messaline flounces, in all the desirable suit shades and in regular sizes. Priced **$3.98**

Silk Jersey Petticoats, $4.95

—offer an interesting variety of smart models; in all-silk jersey, silk jersey with sport combination flounces or silk jersey with taffeta flounces. All suit shades.

Silk Jersey Petticoats at $12.50

A large selection of beautiful Petticoats of excellent quality silk jersey—many showing an especially attractive combination of colors.

These are unusually good values—the result of a special purchase.

Flesh and White Petticoats

Exquisite models for evening and negligee wear are shown in flesh or white satin, crepe de chine and Georgette; beautifully lace, ribbon, fringe and embroidery trimmed; lovely gifts **$5.95 to $25.00**

Petticoat Shop—Third Floor.

The Christmas Assortments of
Silk Nightgowns
Makes Selection a Pleasant Task for the Gift Shopper

At $4.95—Pretty crepe de chine Nightgowns with hemstitched hems and tucks.

At $6.95—Crepe de Chine Nightgowns in V neck or sleeveless styles; of good quality silk.

At $7.95—Crepe de Chine Nightgowns trimmed with tucks and Calais lace—or in attractive tailored effects.

At $8.95—Satin Nightgowns with hemstitched tucks and hem.

At $15.00—A splendid assortment of crepe de chine Nightgowns with hand brier stitching or of satin with filet medallions and hemstitching.

Undergarment Shop—Third Floor.

Gift "Items of Interest"

Weather Forecast

—rain and snow in the near future, in St. Louis and vicinity. And did you ever notice the affinity existing between the small boy and a puddle of water? No wonder mother spends a large portion of her time rubbing small chests and dosing with medicine. Yet "colds" are menacing and should be avoided. Not being able to model a child's nature, try strategy. Give the youngster a pair of red-top, knee length Rubber Boots, and let him splash!

Ladies' Shoe Shop—Second Floor.

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The Practical Man

—who so derides the frivolous or useless gift, has an open path toward following his theories in regard to gift-giving. A Fountain Pen is both suitable and acceptable to man or woman, schoolboy or schoolgirl. Or the newer Eversharp pencil, which has gained such popularity among business men and students, will be just as enthusiastically received.

Stationery Shop—First Floor.

Tomorrow Is the Second Day of Our Semi-Annual Sale of
Winter Millinery
at ½ Price

WOMEN who took advantage of this sale today were delighted with the exceptional values they received—and were especially glad that the event came at a time when they could have a new Hat for the holidays at such attractive prices.

Our Entire Stock of
Women's Trimmed, Untrimmed, Tailored Sports and Mourning Hats
(Fur Hats Excepted)
—is included—you pay just one-half the price that Hat is marked.

$50.00 Trimmed Hats at **$25.00**
$45.00 Trimmed Hats at **$22.50**
$37.50 Trimmed Hats at **$18.75**
$32.50 Trimmed Hats at **$16.25**
$25.00 Trimmed Hats at **$12.50**
$20.00 Trimmed Hats at **$10.00**
$15.00 Trimmed Hats at **$7.50**
$10.00 Trimmed Hats at **$5.00**
$5.00 Trimmed Hats **$2.50**

The Juvenile Hat Shop also offers all Children's and Misses' Winter Hats at half price.

Millinery Shop—Third Floor.

Tomorrow an Important Pre-Holiday
Sale of Misses' Daytime Frocks

Consisting of a new purchase and reduced Dresses from our regular stocks. Regular $25.00 and $29.75 values..... **$19.75**

There are several smart models for selection in

Tricotine Velour de Laine Serge

The two models among the specially purchased Dresses just received are developed of velour de laine. Both are sketched—one a straightline style, with tie belt, laced up the front with two-tone ribbon; a novel and very effective decoration; the other, a good-looking style trimmed in contrasting color silk duvetyn—fastened on the side with ties of grosgrain ribbon.

These Dresses come in navy, Copen, brown, Nankin and beaver.

From our own stock we have assembled a number of tricotine and serge Dresses—at lowered prices for quick selling.

Misses' Shop—Third Floor.

A New Wrappy Coat Assures a Well-Dressed Appearance During the Holidays

Splendid Values and a Large Assortment at

$89.50 $97.50

ONE of the beautiful "Wrappy" Winter Coats in this showing would also make a wonderful gift for mother, wife or sister.

New models, just received, have been added to this assortment—and one finds such popular materials as

Chamoistyn Bolivia Cordeval Vokhara and Velour

—In gray, navy, Nanking blue, Zanzibar and Malay brown, pineneedle green, taupe and black. They have large collars to snuggle into—of self-material or those of rich mole, Australian opossum, nutria and nearseal.

Smart stitching and tucking effects appear on most of the styles.

Other Coats are priced up to $345.00

Coat Shop—Third Floor.

Gift "Items of Interest"

The Value of a Book

—is not measured in dollars and cents. Rather it is expressed in happy hours spent in reading, the subsequent hours spent in reflection, the subtle influence exerted over the acts and mental processes of the reader, and the pleasant associations and fragrant memories in years to come. Surely no gift is more suitable, more ideal; just as certainly no gift is more appreciated by Youth, Maturity or Age.

Book Shop—Sixth Floor.

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Betty's Bows

—have unlimited "dress-up" possibilities for Christmas festivities, etc. There is practically a rainbow of colors here in soft, lustrous silks and satins, with just sufficient stiffness to make a pretty, perky bow.

The Ribbon Shop—First Floor.

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Cushions

—for the davenport or the chaise lounge, are unusual because of their extreme simplicity. They are made of changeable silk in a color matching or contrasting with the prevailing color scheme of the room, unspoiled by other decoration.

Art Needlework Shop—Second Floor.

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In the Stone Age

—there were no Sewing Machines. Until comparatively recent years there were no motor attachments for machines for home use. Now the Sewing Machine built with the motor as a part rather than an attachment, may be obtained. The Free Westinghouse requires only that you attach the cord to the ordinary light socket, and press with the knee against the controller to regulate the speed. The Machine, when not in use, looks like a very handsome little writing desk, and certainly will bring no discord into the well appointed room.

Sewing Machine Shop—Second Floor.

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Give Books

No Christmas gift is more appreciated than a good book. It carries with it an expression of careful selection. It adds to the gift itself the compliment of personal choice. Sometimes we wonder why people select anything but books as Christmas gifts, especially when it is so easy to find just the right sort of book for each particular friend. If you visit our Book Shop on the 6th floor, you will see just how easy and how pleasant it is.

Here Is a Sale of New Blouses

That Offers Excellent Values—and Models Ideal for Christmas Giving

at $7.50 and $10.00

Regular $8.95 to $15 Blouses—if not purchased at a price concession, as in this case.

NO need to dwell upon the desirability of Blouses as gifts to women—every gift-seeker knows that fact. We do want to tell you, though, what really charming **gift blouses** these are.

They are fresh and new—in smart over-the-skirt Balkan and tie-on models—fashioned of

Crepe de Chine and Satin

—so especially smart for suit Blouses this season. There are three different attractive styles—showing unusual embroidery designs in metallic threads and yarn—also hemstitching and plaited ruffle trimming.

Colors are navy, brown and black

Blouse Shop—Third Floor.

Wool Jersey and Serge Frocks at $28.50

Are Smart for Holiday Wear—and Make Splendid Gifts as Well

A NEW Frock for the Christmas season, of course, and if from this group—one that you will enjoy doubly well because of its moderate cost.

Selections may be made of either wool jersey or fine-twilled serge Dresses—in a variety of stylish models suitable for all figures—sizes 34 to 44.

Well-tailored—with added attractions in the way of braid, embroidery and beading.

Women's Dress Shop—Third Floor.

This Pre-Christmas Sale of Furs

Enables You to Buy "The Gift Supreme" at Gratifyingly Lowered Prices

WHAT is the most desired and most beautiful gift in the opinion of the fair sex? Ask any woman—and with very few exceptions—her answer will be *Furs*.

If you would give that someone dear to you a gift that will last long after the Christmas season—a beautiful gift—an ultra-fashionable gift—one that gives warmth and service—

Choose a Fur Neckpiece or Coat

—and here, in the Vandervoort Fur Shop—is your opportunity to make selections at substantially reduced prices.

Coats and Wraps

$115 to $850 beautiful Fur Coats and Wraps in 30, 36, 45 and full length belted and wrappy models; plain and contrastingly trimmed, developed of kolinsky brown coney, brown marmot, civet cat, mole, nearseal (French coney), Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) and squirrel; reduced to **$89.50 to $675**

Small Neckpieces

$15 to $600 Small Fur Neckpieces, Scarfs in animal fancy and roll collar styles—of lynx, Jap mink, genuine mink, nutria, beaver, wolf and all foxes; reduced to **$12.50 to $398.50**

Capes and Coatees

$110 to $1250 Coatees and Small Capes, in plain and novelty effects—of mole, dark fitch, Jap mink, skunk, genuine mink, ringtail, lynx and kolinsky; some contrastingly trimmed; reduced to **$85.00 to $955**

Stoles and Throws

$98.50 to $650 Stoles and Throws, in lynx, skunk, kolinsky, Jap mink, genuine mink, mole, Hudson seal, Australian opossum, chinchilla squirrel and brown ringtail; reduced to **$75.00 to $498.50**

Fur Shop—Third Floor

MAN SHOT WHEN ACTING LIKE A ROBBER DIES

William Roessell Was Wounded by Jeweler Who Answered Call for Help—Says He Had Been Drinking.

William Roessell, 26 years old, of 1302 Webster avenue, who was shot Friday while he was going through the maneuvers of a hold up in the store of Oscar Zettler, a locksmith, at 2318 Chouteau avenue, died yesterday at 5 p. m. at the city hospital of his wound, which was inflicted by Philip Schneider, proprietor of a jewelry store next door to the locksmith's, who responded to a call for help from the locksmith's store.

Roessell, after he was wounded, told the police that he had been drinking heavily on Friday and had no recollection of his subsequent actions. He entered the locksmith's store, which was temporarily in charge of Zettler's daughter, Hazel, 18, obtained from her a revolver which was lying behind a counter and which he said was his, filled it with cartridges, forced the girl to a rear room, where Mrs. Zettler and other children were forced to raise their hands, and ordered a customer who entered at that juncture to go to that rear room also.

Another daughter, Ethel, 17, heard the commotion as she was about to enter the rear of the store and ran instead to Schneider's store. Before Schneider could obtain a revolver and reach Zettler's store, Zettler himself returned. Roessell snapped the revolver trigger twice at Zettler, the bullets failing to explode, whereupon Zettler grappled with him. Schneider entered with a revolver and Roessell snapped his revolver once at him, it again failing to explode the cartridge. Schneider then fired, the bullet entering Roessell's chest.

Mexico Recognized by Japan.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9.—Japan has recognized the new Mexican Government, according to a dispatch received from Leopoldo Blanquez, Mexican Minister, in Tokio.

Shots in Chamber of Deputies.

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 9.—Three shots from a revolver were fired in the direction of the president's tribune in the Chamber of Deputies by a spectator in the public gallery, just as the Chamber was adjourning last night. "I have been for four years a prisoner in Germany and have not obtained justice since my return," the man shouted.

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LEGION SISTERS AT FESTIVAL TONIGHT

Mayor Kiel Commends "Battle of Paris" Entertainment to Public.

Tonight's program at the Battle of Paris, the American Legion carnival at the Coliseum, is in honor of the Sisters of the American Legion. The entertainment schedule is:

6 to 7:30—Dinner, Cafe Madelon Cabaret.
7:30—Overture.
7:40 to 8—Pageant.
7:50—"I'd Love To," by group, Mrs. Nat Brown.
8—Japanese dance, Bob Frazier and Winifred De Larme.
8:15—Miss Ada Johnson and Maids to Sisters American Legion, St. Louis.
8:30—Pageant.
9 to 12—Dance and festival.
Interlude.
8:30—Tenor solo, W. J. Bryan Tidd. Group of 6 in Springtime.

The First Regiment Band, National Guard of Missouri, A. L. Woolston, leader, is co-operating with the American Legion, by playing in downtown streets in connection with the publicity of the Coliseum carnival.

Mayor's Proclamation.

Mayor Kiel has issued the following proclamation, commending the Legion and its entertainment to the public:

"The 20,000 members of the American Legion in the City of St. Louis are giving "The Battle of Paris" at the Coliseum during this week.

"It is the intention of the legion to make this a yearly festival, with a change of program. The American Legion deserves the united support of the entire citizenship of St. Louis in their endeavor to make this festival a success, the proceeds of which are to be used for the legion organization and for the furthering of the forces of law and order in our city as well as in our entire country, and fighting the forces of Bolshevism, anarchy and evil, and looking to a more thorough hospital organization for the aid of their wounded and helpless comrades and to maintain the present service bureau for the unemployed.

"Now, therefore, I, Henry W. Kiel, Mayor of the City of St. Louis, do hereby proclaim this week as American Legion Week in St. Louis, and would ask the hearty support of the citizenship in this city in loyally supporting these gallant boys who so faithfully offered, and still offer, their all, if necessary, that the great government at Washington might continue to exist and that the forces of evil might be arresed in the entire nation."

Last night was Red Cross night at the Coliseum and familiar Red Cross posters were reproduced in tableaux. In one of these 50 persons posed, forming a cross. The Pageant Choral sang patriotic numbers. The Fire Department Zouaves gave a drill.

Woman Sheriff in Oregon.

TOLEDO, Ore., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Mabel Simpson has been appointed by the County Court to be Sheriff of Lincoln County, succeeding her husband, Sheriff William Simpson, who died suddenly last week. Mrs. Simpson is the first woman to hold the office of Sheriff in Oregon.

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TWO WHO WERE IN A. E. F. SENTENCED BY JUDGE FARIS

Penitentiary and Jail Terms for Men Convicted of Having Stolen Shoes and Transporting Stolen Auto.

Federal Judge Faris, in sentencing two former A. E. F. members, one to a penitentiary and the other to a jail, in spite of their pleas for leniency because of their service records, said today that crime is increasing too rapidly and that the only way, in his opinion, to stop it, is to put the criminals behind bars and keep them there.

The first case was that of Jacob Teper, 21 years old, charged with having in his possession shoes stolen from an interstate shipment. Teper was a witness for the Government yesterday in the trial of B. Hinden, a cobbler, who had been charged jointly with Teper. The latter impressed Judge Faris as being an unwilling witness, and the Court told him that he was apparently trying to shield the "master mind" in the theft. Hinden was discharged at the direction of the Judge.

After entering a plea of guilty today, Teper, through counsel, said that he was the eldest of eight children, and that he and his father were the sole support of the family. He said that he volunteered when he was 18 years old and served 18 months.

Sentenced to Penitentiary.

"Young men with as much responsibility as you say you have should have less reason to commit crime than those with less responsibility," said the Judge. "I commend all young men who have served their country, but I am coming to the conclusion that too many of those young men, returning from overseas, are averse to taking up the 'white man's burden.' I do not say that all of them feel that way, but there are indeed too many who are willing to believe that the world owes them a living and who proceed to get it at pistol point. I will sentence you to a year and a day at Fort Leavenworth."

In the case of Noah Barnes of Nashville, Tenn., charged with transporting interstate a stolen automobile, Judge Faris accepted a plea of guilty and listened to a plea for clemency by counsel. Letters from State and county officials of Tennessee, testifying to Barnes' previous good record, were read. Counsel further stated that Barnes had served in France, and that he had been in jail in connection with the criminal charge since Aug. 23.

"Criminals Must Go."

"Crime is increasing too rapidly," said Judge Faris. "Perhaps we are not getting as much evidence of it in this court, as they are getting in the State courts, but even here the increase is noticeable. It has got to be stopped, and the only way I know of stopping it is to put the criminals behind the bars and keep them there. I am going to be lenient in this case."

Barnes was sentenced to two months and 15 days in the county jail at St. Charles, in addition to the time he has spent in jail awaiting disposition of the case.

Haywood Address Prevented.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 9.—Acting on orders of Mayor John Galvin, Cincinnati police prevented a meeting that was to have been addressed here last night by William D. Haywood, Chicago, chief of the I. W. W. A large number of persons went to the hall, but were told by the police that the meeting was off.

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$338 *BAY SEAL COATS, 36 in. long, trimmed skunk, squirrel and Australian opossum shawl, collar and cuffs* $169.00

$298 *PLAIN NEAR SEAL COATS, 36 in. long, cape collar and bell cuffs* $149.00

$198 *PLAIN BAY SEAL COATS, 36 in. long, shawl, collar and cuffs* $99.00

$138 *BROWN CONEY COATS, 36 in. long, silk lined, belted, shawl collar and cuffs* $69.00

$125 *KIT CONEY COATS, 36 in. long, shawl collar and cuffs, silk lined* $62.50

$198 *40-IN. RUSSIAN PONY COATS, shawl raccoon, Australian opossum, dyed raccoon, taupe squirrel collar and cuffs, belted* $99.00

$318 *36-IN. CIVET CAT COAT, beautifully matched skins* $159.00

$178 *32-IN. MARMOT COAT, shawl raccoon collar, belted, with border* $89.00

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$258 *36-IN. LONG KOL. MARMOT COATS, selected skins; now* $129.00

$368 *38-IN. MUSKRAT COAT, first quality skins, shawl raccoon collar* $184.00

Scarfs and Muffs, 1/2 Price

$38 TAUPE WOLF SCARFS, now reduced to $19.00

$58 TAUPE WOLF SCARFS, Isabelle Fox Scarfs, black Fox Scarfs $29.00

$78 GEO. FOX and ISABELLE FOXES $39.00

$98 GEO. AND LUCILLE FOX SCARFS, now $49.00

$28 CAT LYNX SCARF, or Coney, brown and black $14.00

$138 FOUR-STRIPE ANIMAL SKUNK SCARFS, now $69.00

$88 THREE-STRIPE SKUNK MUFF, now $44.00

$68 BROWN AND TAUPE FOX MUFFS, with tail and paws trimmed $34.00

Chokers, 1/2 Price

$18 SQUIRREL AND AUSTRALIAN OPOSSUM CHOKERS, selected skins $9.00

$35 TWO-SKIN GERMAN FITCH CHOKERS, wonderful value $17.50

$68 TWO-SKIN STONE MARTEN $34.00

Stoles and Capes, 1/2 Price!

$168 *JAP MINK STOLES, 72 in. long, 4-skin width, first quality skins* $84.00

$88 *SHAPED SEALINE STOLES, 12x72, trimmed with pockets, first quality skins* $44.00

$188 *KOL. FITCH STOLES, 72 in. long, 3-skin width, finest quality* $94.00

$48 *12x72 KIT CONEY STOLES, pockets, good skins* $24.00

$178 *RUSSIAN FITCH STOLES, tails and paws trimmed, 3-skin width* $89.00

$158 *JAP MINK STOLES, tails and pockets trimmed, 10x72* $79.00

$248 *JAP MINK CAPE, selected skins, stole fronts, tail trimmed* $124.00

$178 *KOL. MARMOT CAPE, tails and pockets, stole fronts, tail trimmed* $89.00

$88 *CONEY CAPES, black kit and brown, stole fronts, pockets and tails* $44.00

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No. 4—$338 36-inch belted model; bay seal; squirrel collar and cuffs, **$169**

No. 5—$318 36-inch Civet Cat Coat; shawl collar and cuffs; belted model **$159**

No. 6—$388 Near Seal Coat, with beaver collar and cuffs; now **$194**

No. 7—$298 Near Seal Coat; plain shawl collar and cuffs **$149**

No. 8—$198 40-inch Russian Pony Coat; raccoon collar and cuffs, **$99**

MISS AUGUSTA ERKER TO WED IN SPRING

Betrothal to Sylvester Judge Jr. Made Known at a Bridge Party.

AN interesting betrothal made known today is that of Miss Augusta Erker, daughter of Mrs. Josephine Erker of 3632 Flora boulevard, to Sylvester Judge Jr. The wedding will take place in the spring. The announcement was made at a bridge party, with which Miss Erker entertained at her home for 12 of her intimate friends. The prospective bride received her education at the Sacred Heart and Maryville Convents, having been graduated from the latter in 1919. She was a maid of honor at the Veiled Prophet's ball this year. Mr. Judge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Judge of 3464 Hawthorne boulevard. He was educated at Culver Military Academy and St. Louis University. During the war he was a Captain in the army and aide-de-camp to Gen. McClure in France.

Social Items

Mrs. John Wallace Fristoe and her daughter, Miss Frances Fristoe, will entertain tomorrow with a tea at their home, 5257 Washington boulevard, for 125 guests, members of the school set. Miss Fristoe is a student at Mary Institute. Among the girls who will serve will be Misses Judith Dana, Frances Riley, Laura Louise Price, Mary Willis, Abbie Lewis, Mary Gamble, Helen Green and Helen Rule.

The engagement of Miss Mary White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. White of 1942 Semple place, to Bernard Carp, has been announced. Mr. Carp is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Carp of 6151 Washington boulevard. He resides in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Miss Mildred Brooks will be the honor guest at a bridge party tomorrow afternoon with which Mrs. Edward Sprague of 1150 Hamilton avenue will entertain.

Miss Elizabeth Bemis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bemis of 5 Kingsbury place, will entertain Dec. 18 with a tea dance from 5 to 7 o'clock, at the Woman's Club. The guests will be members of the Fortnightly set. Miss Bemis is a student at the Mary Institute.

Members of the Yale Glee Club will attend the dance with which Mrs. Byron Nugent will entertain Christmas eve at the St. Louis Country Club in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Marie Nugent.

Mrs. Albert Boettler of 5931 Waterman avenue has as her guest for two weeks Mrs. Aimee O'Brien of Springfield, Ill.

John T. Major is expected to arrive Saturday from Detroit to be the guest until after Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Redd Major of 5329 Minerva avenue.

Miss Marie Hercules of 5751 Chamberlain avenue will be hostess at a luncheon at the Hotel Jefferson tomorrow in compliment to Miss Josephine Pickerill. The luncheon will be followed by a matinee party with which Miss Faye Salisbury will entertain for Miss Pickerill. Miss Pickerill will entertain the members of her bridal party at her home, 5555 Cabanne avenue, the evening preceding her wedding to L. Lawrence Higgins of New York, which will take place Dec. 22.

Mrs. Frederick H. Fricke, 3218 Hebert street, will entertain with a tea for about 80 guests at the Riverview Club Saturday afternoon. She will be assisted by her daughter, Miss Ethel Fricke.

Mrs. Bert Jacobs of Iola, Kan., is expected to arrive next week to be the guest for the holidays of her mother, Mrs. E. Wittenberg of 5743 De Giverville avenue.

Mrs. Paul O'Neill of San Francisco and her small daughter have returned to their home after having been the guests for three months of Mrs. O'Neill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Barry of 4816 Hammett place.

HER ENGAGEMENT HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED

Miss Mary White.

Horticultural Appropriation Favored

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 9.—Appropriation by the Legislature of $10,000 a year for horticultural development work in Missouri and more funds for State experiment stations, were recommended by the Missouri State Horticultural Society at the closing session last night of its annual convention here. B. B. Coleman, Marionville, was elected president and H. S. Wyman, Princeton, secretary.

COLLEGE CLUB PLAY TUESDAY NIGHT AT SHUBERT-JEFFERSON

Supper at Hotel to Follow Rendition of "Adam and Eva."

The College Club will give its annual scholarship fund benefit play at the Shubert-Jefferson Theater next Tuesday night, the play being "Adam and Eva," featuring Molly McIntyre, following which there will be a supper at the Hotel Jefferson. The proceeds from the play will be given to a fund established several years ago for girls having no means to attend college. Each year in June applications are considered, and 70 girls have been furnished money for a college course from the fund.

Next year nine girls will be selected for scholarships, and the club must raise more than $2000 for the nine scholarships. All the boxes have been taken, and most of the gallery seats have been sold for the play. Mrs. Oreon E. Scott is president of the club.

Notice to the Furniture Trade

Our attention has been called to an advertisement of a large downtown furniture store, in which they announced that they had purchased a large stock of furniture of our manufacture at "ridiculous prices," none of which was displayed in their advertisement.

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Peaches—No. 2½ cans; Moll's Pride; yellow cling; regular $1.35 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.00 DOZEN, $3.95. Reg. $4.50 value.

Peaches—Delmar Club; No. 2½ cans; White Heath; regular $1.50 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.20 DOZEN, $4.70. Reg. $5.25 value.

Peaches—No. 2½ cans Delmar Club; extra standard; regular $1.50 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.20 DOZEN, $4.70. Reg. $5.25 value.

Apricots—Delmonte; No. 2½ cans; peeled; regular $1.40 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.15 DOZEN, $4.40. Reg. $5.00 value.

Cherries—No. 2½ cans; Delmonte Black; regular $1.40 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.15 DOZEN, $4.45. Reg. $5.00 value.

Raspberries—No. 2 cans; Puyallup; regular $1.40 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.10 DOZEN, $4.05. Reg. $4.50 value.

Pineapple—1858 Brand; regular $1.25 value. 3 CANS ..... 90c DOZEN, $3.55. Reg. $4.00 value.

Pineapple—No. 2½ can; Hala; sliced; extra standard; regular $1.25 value. 3 CANS ..... 90c DOZEN, $3.55. Reg. $4.00 value.

Pineapple—No. 2½ cans; Delmar Club; 8 to 10 thick slices in can; reg. $1.35 value. 3 CANS $1.10 DOZEN, $4.35. Reg. $5.00 value.

Pears—No. 3 cans; Matchless; regular $1.00 value. 3 CANS ..... 80c DOZEN, $3.05. Reg. $3.50 value.

Peaches—No. 2½ cans; Delmonte; Melba; six large halves in syrup; reg. $1.50 value. 3 CANS $1.25 DOZEN, $4.85. Reg. $5.25 value.

Plums—No. 2½ cans; Delmar Club; fancy egg; regular $1.50 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.20 DOZEN, $4.75. Reg. $5.25 value.

Plums—No. 2½ cans; Delmar Club; Green Gage; regular $1.50 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.20 DOZEN, $4.75. Reg. $5.25 value.

Prunes—No. 2½ cans; Italian Paramount; reg. $1.25 value. 3 CANS .. 95c DOZEN, $3.75. Reg. $4.25 value.

Pears—No. 2½ cans; Delmar Club; regular $1.60 value. 3 CANS ..... $1.38 DOZEN, $5.35. Reg. $6.00 value.

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Here a few of our regular—not cut prices—good for Friday, Saturday and Monday.

Prime Rib Roasts Worth 45c; pound 38c
Rolled Boneless Roasts Off the rib; lb. 34c
Prime Sirloin Steaks Worth 45c; lb. 35c
Fancy Pork Chops Middle cut; lb. 30c
Fresh Pork Shoulders Per pound. 19c
Young Pig Chops Extra fine; pound 30c
Extra Veal Chops Worth 28c; pound 20c
Beef Tongues Either fresh or pickled; pound 24c
Prime Round Steaks The best; pound... 30c
Pork Sausage Fancy; our own make; pound.. 30c
Spring Chickens Very finest grade; pound 33c
Stewing Fowls Best quality; fresh; pound.. 30c

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Of fine quality crepe de chine, trimmed with lace or Georgette, as well as tailored and fancy styles of satin.

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A broad style selection, developed in fine quality satin and super-grade crepe de chine.

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Limited number underpriced. Both built-up shoulders and shoulder-strap styles.

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Unreserved choice of entire stock, regardless of former prices. $1

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Popular fashions in sailor, turban, roll brim and flare-up styles. Of fine satin mirage in brown, black, henna, old blue and navy.

Some are trimmed with fur; others with scarfs, smart bows or novelty stitching.

$3.95

A Sale of Wool Velour & Velveteen Frocks

The wool velour and velveteen Dresses are new arrivals, representing latest Midwinter fashions for daytime and semi-formal service.

Included are dresses of navy tricotine, navy serge and navy satin—in all sizes up to 50.

$15
$25 Values

KITCHIN CALLS HOUSTON PLAN PRO-REPUBLICAN

Recommendation of Repeal of Excess Profits Tax Bitterly Assailed by Democrat.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Secretary Houston's recommendations in his annual report that excess profits taxes be repealed and the high brackets of income surtaxes be reduced were attacked today by Representative Kitchin of North Carolina, ranking Democratic member of the House Ways and Means Committee, as "the most unwise, unjust, un-Democratic and pro-Republican proposal that ever emanated from any department of the Government since its beginning."

Kitchin's attack was contained in a formal statement, in which he said he felt certain that if the Democrats were in control of the House the Secretary's proposal would be rejected unanimously.

"The whole intent and policy of his recommendations," Kitchin continued, "are to relieve the corporate interests and millionaires, who for the last four years have plundered and profiteered upon the people to the extent of $50,000,000,000, of a billion and a half or two billion of dollars of taxes annually and placed that amount upon the backs of the people, that is, the victims of such plunderers and profiteers.

"I cannot understand how any man who claims to have a single impulse for the masses, or who claims to be a Democrat, could make such recommendation—but, I understand, that neither Mr. Houston nor any of his friends make such claims for him. If a Republican administration were to make such recomemndations the Democrats in the house would not want a better issue.

"The Secretaries of the Treasury under Mr. Wilson were the first to ever assume the authority to tell Congress what it ought to tax, or ought not to tax, and the rate of taxation.

"If the Democratic party in Congress were to adopt the suggestions of Secretary Houston's report, it would be no use to hold future Democratic conventions, for no Democratic candidate hereafter would get anything like as many votes as Gov. Cox did in the last election, and the Lord knows he got few enough.

"I predict that in the next Congress, that in behalf of many Republican measures with respect to taxation, the Republicans will cite Secretary Houston as well as the President as authority for their position."

WHEEL, OFF OF AUTO, HITS HOME

An automobile bearing a Missouri State license, which the police say was issued to Joseph Ariotto Jr., of 2132A Cooper street, was wrecked at 2 a. m. yesterday when it collided with a telegraph pole at Thirty-second and State streets, East St. Louis.

One wheel, broken from the axle, continued along the street, vaulted onto the porch of a house 100 feet distant, smashed one of the porch uprights and broke open the door. The police have no report of any person being injured.

ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH DEATH OF SOLDIER

Man Says He Slapped a Soldier Near Ninth and Market Streets, but Man Didn't Fall.

George McIntosh, 46 years old, of 5 North Ninth street, was arrested last night by policemen investigating the assault on Corp. Harold Ross, who died at Jefferson Barracks, Dec. 2, supposedly from a blood clot due to falling on the sidewalk near Ninth and Market streets, Nov. 2, after he had been struck on the head near that corner. Ross said he had been "slugged" and robbed of $80.

McIntosh told the police he knew nothing of the Ross affair. He said that two weeks ago he had trouble with a soldier near Ninth and Market streets, and the soldier had struck him, and he slapped the soldier's face. The man did not fall, and was not injured, he said.

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To Our Already Big Weekly Sale We Offer You Government Inspected
Fresh Pork Shoulders
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BELCHER HOTEL
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Shave With Cuticura Soap The New Way Without Mug

Garland's SEMI-ANNUAL Sample Sale Garland's

The Arrow Points in the Right Direction for You---Are You Getting Your Share?

Hundreds and hundreds of women have "seen the point," and it has led them to the greatest Sample Sale we have ever attempted. Tomorrow and Saturday mark the final days of this unapproachable money-saving event. We have put forth extensive preparations to make these last two days excel the bigness of the first two days. Many new Samples are here and you are sure to find many pretty things you have not seen before. Remember—just two more days to supply your present and future needs at about one-half price.

NEW SAMPLE COATS

at an Average Saving of . . . 50%

Such tempting styles, such wonderful fabrics and almost unbelievably low prices as are offered in this tremendous stock of Coats and Wraps, should prompt every woman to buy in this sale tomorrow.

$450.00 Sample Coats $200.00
$395.00 Sample Coats $150.00
$235.00 Sample Coats $110.00
$175.00 Sample Coats $85.00
$135.00 Sample Coats $67.50
$95.00 Sample Coats $47.50
$50.00 Sample Coats $25.00

Extra Special—
For the last two days of this sale we are featuring an extraordinary collection of fine Winter Coats at a very low price. Regular $25 to $39.50 Coats. Your choice..... $14.75

COAT SECTION—FOURTH FLOOR

NEW SAMPLE DRESSES

at an Average Saving of . . . 50%

Buying Dresses in this sale means fashion as well as economy. These new samples include the best in the land, and with such a wide range of prices and styles prevailing we know every woman can find many Dresses to her liking.

$375.00 Sample Dresses..... $195.00
$295.00 Sample Dresses..... $110.00
$125.00 Sample Dresses..... $69.50
$85.00 Sample Dresses..... $42.50
$55.00 Sample Dresses..... $25.00
$30.00 Sample Dresses..... $13.75

Extra Special—
Two hundred silk and cloth sample Dresses, in a dozen or more styles, comprise an assortment that we are featuring for Friday and Saturday. Regular $15 to $29.75 Dresses. Your choice..... $7.95

DRESS SECTION—THIRD FLOOR

NEW SAMPLE SUITS

at an Average Saving of . . . 50%

It is only a matter of seeing these beautiful Suits and inspecting closely their superb quality and expert workmanship to realize the great importance of buying in this sale.

$525.00 Sample Suits..... $237.50
$375.00 Sample Suits..... $169.50
$300.00 Sample Suits..... $149.50
$250.00 Sample Suits..... $100.00
$150.00 Sample Suits..... $75.00
$89.50 Sample Suits..... $47.50
$49.50 Sample Suits..... $27.50

Extra Special—
Fine Wool Suits, all-silk lined, are offered in a special lot tomorrow at a price that will make these Suits the talk of all St. Louis. They are regular $29.50 and $35.00 Suits. Your choice $14.95

SUIT SECTION—THIRD FLOOR WEST

An Important Opportunity in
SAMPLE MILLINERY
New $15, $18 and $20 Trimmed Hats—Choice

Sample Hats of Satin Faille Silk Crepe and Duvetyn Flower Trimmed Hats

Hats of distinctive good looks and dependable quality. Sailors with brims of flowers; models of ribbons; jaunty flower trimmed turbans; hand-embroidered ideas and a multitude of others equally charming.

$10

MEZZANINE FLOOR

Two Feature Groups of
FINE SAMPLE FURS
The Greatest Values Offered in Years

$595 FINEST HUDSON SEAL COATS with magnificent collars and cuffs of genuine Northern beaver or best quality natural gray Siberian squirrel; in the smarter 36-inch full-flare belted models. Fine pussywillow linings.
Sample Sale Price
$297.50

$595 FINEST NATURAL MINK CAPES AND COATEES. Beautiful creations of the finest selected natural mink. So extraordinary are the values, so new and diversified the styles that this offering will surely create a sensation.
Sample Sale Price
$297.50

FUR SALON—THIRD FLOOR WEST

THOMAS W. GARLAND 409-11-13 Broadway

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF U. S. SOUND WATTS SAYS

President of First National Bank Asserts Most of Unrest Is Due to Alarmists.

That the financial condition of the country is at present absolutely sound, and since our resources have been greatly multiplied in recent years, there should be no occasion for pessimism, especially as credits were never so good nor the purchasing power of individuals greater, said Frank O. Watts, president of the First National Bank, in one of three addresses on the economical situation in the United States at a joint luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce and Advertising Club yesterday at Hotel Statler. Watts was emphatic in his statements that a great deal of the present economic unrest was due to alarmists, and he advised the business men to get down to work in earnest to supply a great European trade in the near future.

The other speakers were Archer Wall Douglas, vice president of Simmons Hardware Co.; Flint Garrison, president Garrison-Wagner Advertising Co., and A. C. McKinnon, St. Louis representative of the United States Shipping Board Exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce next week.

Credits Not Restricted.

Watts said there had been a great deal of misrepresentation as to the attitude of the Federal Reserve Board and banks toward farmers and others in restricting credits. He said credits had not been restricted except in some cases to curtail speculation. He pointed out that the Federal Reserve Board had never neared the limit of currency it could legally issue, and probably never would reach the limit. He declared the board could issue an additional $600,000,000 currency and still be within the limit, and for this reason, he explained, financial conditions are sound and we may expect the board to insure the country against serious trouble.

He said he was not alarmed at the situation in this country, and that he expected the consumer, producer and dealer to tire quickly of their attitude and get together in the interest of the common good. What does concern him most, he asserted, was how the banks would handle supplemental credits to the $3,000,000,000 now being carried for Europe, that may be expected a year hence when Europe comes into this market in earnest in its program of rehabilitation.

"I am confident of the present," he said, "but not so confident just now that we can take care of the great trade from Europe that will begin to come a year hence. The European trade of the future is my greatest concern."

Difficult to Find Markets.

Douglas said he did not believe the consumer would start normal buying until prices had reached a reasonable level, and that his guess was that quiet times would continue through the winter season with a consequent lessening of production and employment. Our real difficulty, he said, was to find markets for our surplus products, but since the producer, manufacturer and retailer have enjoyed high prices for six years, Douglas believes they should give the consumer his inning with good grace and take their losses like sportsmen.

Garrison read the report recently published by the special committee of the Associated Retailers, and expressed confidence in an early normal resumption of business in all lines, with increasing prosperity from the start.

Several selections were played by the band of the House of David, which is playing an engagement this week at a local vaudeville theater.

SAVE MORE THAN 1/2 ON ALL MODELS OF Artophones

In This Enormous Sacrifice Sale All *Brand-New Models* Are Going at Less Than Half Price.

$100 Values $48
$125 Values $64.50
$150 Values $73.50
$200.00 Values $98.50
$250 Values $119.00

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The Store for ALL the People

PRACTICAL GIFTS for Every Christmas List

Special! Huck Towels
Bleached huck, with red border; size 18x38; while 100 dozen last **21c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$3.00 Bath Mats
In pink, blue or light colors. Extra heavy; each **$1.95**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.00 Damask
58 inches wide; stripe, spot and floral patterns. Extra heavy quality; yard **59c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.50 Damask
64 inches wide; superior quality. Extra heavy, in spot, stripe and conventional patterns; yard **88c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$3.50 All-Linen Damask
70 inches wide; humidor quality, in spot, stripe and floral patterns. Limit of 5 yards to each customer; yard **$2.45**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$4.50 Round Scalloped Cloths
64 inches in diameter; superior quality; appropriate for Xmas gifts, in assorted patterns. Limit of 2 to each customer; each **$2.45**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$12.50 Pure Linen Table Sets
Consist of one cloth 64x64 inches, hemstitched; six napkins to match **$7.89**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.00 Bath Towels
Made of fine bleached Terry cloth, with pink, blue, lavender and orange border; each **59c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.00 Nainsook
36-inch nainsook; superior quality; yard **48c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$2.50 Bolt Longcloth
10-yard pieces; superior quality; 100 bolts to be offered at the above price **$1.65**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Sale of Remnants
Of Marquisette, Laces, Scrim, Madras and Cretonne; lengths up to 4 yards; up to 49c values; yard **10c**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

15c Curtain Scrim
With colored border and small figured centers, on light colored ground; yard **8c**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

59c Drapery Cretonne
36 inches wide; assorted patterns, alike on both siles; splendid color combinations; yard **44c**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Infants' $2.25 Silk Bootees
Made of good quality crepe de chine, in either pink or blue; hand-embroidered on the toe and trimmed around the top with soft white fur **$1.45**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$4.00 Crib Quilts
Made of Japanese silk, in dainty pink or blue hand-embroidered in several pretty designs **$2.89**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Infants' 98c Knit Caps
Made of zephyr wool, in fancy stitched, in a variety of styles. Some with tassels, others with buttons. Come in brown, red, blue, peacock **59c**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Girls' $6.00 Sweaters
Zephyr Wool Sweaters for the little girls 2, 3 and 4 years old. Link and link stitch, with ripple skirt. Come in brown, buff, peacock and navy **$4.95**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Boys' $4.50 Sweaters
Made of zephyr wool, in link and link stitch, with fancy stitch stripes down front; coat style, with belt and turndown collar. Sizes 2 to 6 years **$3.50**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$7.95 Baby Buntings
Made of heavy ripple eiderdown, with edges bound with pink or blue ribbon. Heavily interlined, hood attached, lined with silk **$5.95**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Up to $18.50 Woolen Blankets
In many large plaids; also broken plaids; white or gray; all are double-bed size. They have very slight cotton in weave to prevent shrinking and have bound ends. These make very acceptable Xmas gifts; pair **$10.00**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Up to $10.50 Blankets
Wool-mixed, in many lovely block patterns; also in plain white, tan or gray, with striped borders. In sizes 66 x80, 70x80 and 72x82 inches; pair **$6.95**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

$16.50 Wool Filled Comforts
Covered with fine art and Persian figured sateen on both sides and deep solid border to match **$10.00**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

$13.50 Indian Blankets
Size 64x76 inches, in many beautiful Indian patterns bound with felt binding. Slight cotton in warp. Fine for home or auto use **$10.00**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

$2.00 Nightgowns
Nightgowns in square, round and V-neck style. Made of nainsook, trimmed with embroidery medallion, lace insertion and lace edge **$1.47**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

23c Huck Towels
A good size, with red borders **15c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Tomorrow—An Old-Fa

It has been more than 4 years since we have been a that have been prevailing. Tomorrow's prices are as before the War. Come—See for yourself how substanti

Percales
Shirting Percale, in colored grounds with neat colored shirting stripes —36 inches wide—yd... **15c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Apron Gingham
Apron Gingham, in most wanted staple apron checks; 27 inches wide; yard **15c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

50c to 60c Dress Gingham
Dress Gingham, in beautiful rich colored plaids, stripes and checks; also plain colors; 32 in. wide; yd... **33c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$9.00 Corduroy Robes
Corduroy Robes, made of wide wale; plain and brocade corduroy, in breakfast coat and straight models, with flowing sleeves, girdle and pockets. Come in rose, Copen, light blue, pink and purple **$6.95**

$10.00 Beacon Robes
Lounging and Bathrobes of Beacon cloth, with fancy collars and cuffs, trimmed with satin ribbon, pockets and girdle to match, in a wonderful assortment of patterns and colors **$7.95**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Women's $5.98 and $6.98 Fancy Thread Silk Hosiery
Majority are all silk, some few with lisle tops, all are perfect, first quality, the same qualities we have been selling in our regular stock at $5.95 and $6.98; broken sizes, at... **$3.95**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Women's $3.00 and $3.50 All-Silk Stockings
Full fashioned; black; thread silk with silk garter tops; slight seconds; all sizes... **$1.98**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Women's Street Gloves

$3.00 to $5.00 Values

One-clasp, fine quality, all select quality skins. Made by two of the leading glove manufacturers in America. Pique and prix seam stitched. None better for hard wear; at... **$1.95**

Women's Gauntlets
Strap wrist, light weight. Good length with wide gore; heavy crochet, embroidered in two-toned effects; in beautiful shades of brown, beaver, tan, gray, white and black **$4.90**

Child's Kid Mittens With Fur Tops

Child's Fleece-Lined Gauntlets
Two very popular styles that will please the little ones **$1.25**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Friday, Another Sale of

New Dresses

$19.50 to $35 Values

The values, the great number of Dresses, the variety of styles and the timeliness make this the most popular Dress Sale of the year. **$15**

Tricotines Satins Jerseys Velours Mignonettes Velveteens Charmeuse Combinations

Every Dress radiates a welcome newness in little differences that are refreshing. charming combinations of materials, unexpected touches of color here and there in delightful trimming effects, together with the high quality of workmanship make this the Dress Sale of the season.
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

$7.50 and $10 Silks
40-inch beautiful brocaded Georgette Crepe and embroidered Georgettes, in gorgeous color combinations for negligees, gowns, blouses and dresses; yard **$2.98**

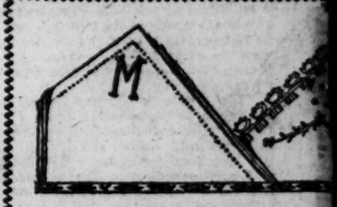
$4.50 Black Satin de Luxe
40-inch beautiful Satin de Luxe; soft, shimmering finish; for dresses or blouses; yard **$1.98**

$2.00 Wash Satins
Yard-wide, white or flesh Wash Satins; yd. **$1.19**

$4.00 Chiffon Taffetas
Soft, lustrous quality; yard wide, in new shades of navy blue, taupe, seal, brown or black; yard **$1.69**

$3.50 Dress Satins
Yard wide, in navy blue, brown, Pekin or sapphire blue, taupe, rose, tan, gray or black; yard **$1.69**

$5.50 Black Satin Charmeuse
40-inch wide; superior quality, for dresses, skirts or blouses; yard **$2.29**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)



Boys' 25c Initi
Cambric Handkerchiefs with white embroidered block letter; box of six .....

Boys' 35c Initial Handkerchi
Fine soft finish cambric Handkerchiefs with tape border effects and colored embroidered initials; box of 6, **$1.5**

Men's 39c Initial Handkerchie
Soft finished cambric Handkerchiefs, w fancy block initial and hemstitched hem; box of 3 ..... **$1.0**

Men's 20c Initial Handkerchie
Heavy cambric Handkerchiefs, with broidered Longfellow initial, in a full assortment of letters. box of 6... **75**

Men's 35c Initial Handkerchie
This special Handkerchief is made of batiste with various attractive satin borders and neatly embroidered Longfell block letter, in a full assortment of initials; box of 3 ..... **$1.0**

$1.50 Half-Silk Shirting
Half-silk Shirting, in light grounds with neat colored shirting stripes with satin stripe effects. 32 inches wide; yard **$1.19**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$2.60 & $3 Hosiery
Women's full fashioned and mock-seam Silk Hose, made of thread silk with lisle garter tops, in black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Slight seconds **$1.48**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Men's Hose
$1.25 and $1.50 thread silk Hose in plain and drop stitch; black and colors. Sizes 9½ to 11½. Firsts and seconds **$1.00**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Men's $8.50 Bathrobes
Made of Beacon Blankets in light colored, large patterns, piped at all seams. All sizes **$4.95**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

50c to 60c Ribbon
Come and see our beautiful display of fancy ribbons suitable for hair bows **29c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Practical Xmas Gifts

$3 Percolators
Large 9-cup size in the pretty paneled shape of heavy high-grade aluminum. Friday, **$2.19**

$6.50 Combination Tea Kettles, of heavy aluminum, 5-qt. Tea Kettle with 2-qt. cereal Boiler insert; special, **$4.65**

$3.25 Cooking Pots, of heavy aluminum, large, 6-qt. covered Kettles, also covered Stew Pans; special, **$1.95**

$3.00 Skillets of extra heavy aluminum; large size with long ebonized handles. Special **$1.85**

$4.95 Clothes Hampers, family size, of fine quality willow; special **$2.95**

35c to 75c Baskets, suitable for sewing and fruit, 5 various sizes; choice **19c**

40c Nut Sets in box, highly plated cracker with 6 picks; special **29c**

$12.95 Combination Beach Wringers, "Horseshoe" Brand, are guaranteed 3 years and ball bearing; special, **$10.50**

$2.75 O'Cedar Mop Outfits, large triangle shape mop, with quart can O-Cedar oil; special, **$1.88**

(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Basement Sale of $22.50 to $35.00

Coats

For Women and Misses at **$15**

Beautiful new Coats in the most charming new colors—reindeer, brown, taupe, black, Pekin and navy in dolman effects, plain-tailored styles with shawl, roll and square collars, straightline belted models, fur-trimmed Coats with sealine collars, trimmed with kit coney, and some handsome fur-fabric Coatees.

Silk Plush
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Buy the kiddies' Toys now! The ASSOR LAY ANOTHER MINUTE or just what

$1.25 High-Grad Jointed Dolls
With moving eyes real hair; Friday, **59c**

$1.50 Jointed Doll 14-inch, with bisq heads and moving eyes .. **98**

$4.50 Baby Dolls; richly dressed; have moving eyes, bobbed hair.. **$2.25**

$7.50 Dressed Dolls; handsomely dressed; have lovely curly wigs and moving eyes **$3.98**

Up to $9.00 Imported Jointed Dolls; large size, with curly hair, pretty faces, moving eyes **$4.98**

Ouija Board the sensation fortune tell 1000 of these special while they last.....

75c Drums; loud kind, nicely decorated **59c**

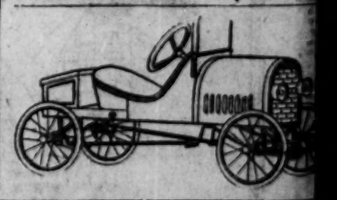
$2.50 Drums, large size, have "Mutt & Jeff" decorations and make plenty of noise; special **$1.73**

Sleds, also Coasters; special, 99c to **$7.50**

Boy Scout Bugles; $2.98 to $5.39

$1.25 Parch Games; all large out Boards; Friday.... **98**

$4.00 American Flyer Tra
High-speed engine, tender, two with large figure eight track; special **$3.2**



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e to hold an event of this kind, owing to the high prices w, and in some instances lower, than those that prevailed l the savings really are.

50c Domet Flannel
White Domet Flannel with good heavy fleece. 36 inches wide; yard..... **29c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

50c Outing Flannel
Outing Flannel in light grounds with neat colored stripes for nightgowns and pajamas. 36 inches wide; yard..... **29c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

59c Outing Flannel
Outing Flannel in light grounds with neat colored stripes for pajamas. 36 in. wide; yard..... **33c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

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ch hemstitched hem and **95c**

Children's 25c to 30c Box Hdkfs.
Printed or solid embroidered Swiss Handkerchiefs, put up in fancy boxes; box of 3..... **19c**

25c to 29c Swiss Handkerchiefs
A sample line and discontinued numbers of handsomely embroidered Handkerchiefs, in white or colors **15c**

39c to 50c Batiste Hdkfs.
An extensive assortment of importers' surplus stock of fine Handkerchiefs, in a selection of attractively embroidered corner motif designs **25c**

59c to 95c Imported Hdkfs.
St. Gall Swiss and Batiste Handkerchiefs ornamented with beautiful embroidered designs; some edged with Venise or fine filet lace edges **39c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.50 Black Farmer Satin
Plain black Farmer Satin; mercerized silk finish; a rich black; 32 inches wide; yard..... **69c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

MAKE-BELIEVE

NTS are STILL COMPLETE. DON'T DE- want WILL BE SOLD OUT.

$12.50 Roll Top Desks, of solid oak, highly finished with strong chair to match; special set **$9.85**

$2.50 Child's Rocking Chairs, Arm Chairs and Dining Chairs; choice. **$1.75**

$7.50 Dining Room Tables, of mission finish with two chairs to match; set..... **$4.95**

$1.75 Kiddie Horses, strongly made and well finished; special Friday.... **$1.39**

$8.00 Child's Writing Desk, with blackboard combined.. **$4.49**

Artificial Xmas Trees

Will last for years and are well branched.

$2.50 Xmas Trees, reduced to..... **$1.75**
$3.75 Xmas Trees reduced to..... **$2.39**
$6.00 Xmas Trees, reduced to..... **$3.95**
$7.50 Xmas Trees, reduced to..... **$4.75**

Ice Skates, "Barney & Berry," reduced to, pair..... **$2.00**

75c Toy Pianos, 8 keys; reduced to... **49c**

$1.75 Toy Pianos, 10 keys, reduced to..... **$1.39**

$1.00 China Toy Tea Sets: nicely decorated; set **69c**

$5.00 Baby Grand Pianos, 15 keys; reduced to..... **$3.95**

Educational Spelling and Blackboards **$1.50**

$2.00 Airplanes, actually fly..... **$1.79**

$7.75 Coaster Wagons; full roller bearing **$6.89**

$9.50 Automobiles; are richly enameled; have rubber tired wheels and starting crank; special **$6.95**

$30.00 Automobiles; extra large size, with heavy rubber tired wheels, fenders, running board and windshield; special **$22.50**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

Men's $3.50 Pajamas

Button trimmed, striped flannelette. All sizes..... **$2.35**

All Men's $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 Pajamas
Solid colors and striped patterns, in mercerized materials; Oxfords and percales. All sizes..... **$2.95**

Men's $3.00 Pajamas
Button trimmed Percale Pajamas; solid colors and fancy striped patterns. All sizes.... **$1.95**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

75c, $1 and $1.25 Embroidered Pcs.

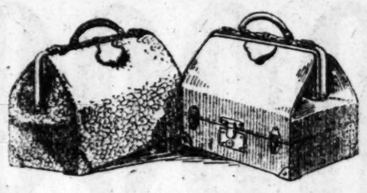
A large variety of very useful Japanese Embroidered Articles; needlebooks, pen wipers, utility bags and many other things too numerous to mention here; all marked for Friday at..... **29c**

$2.50 Sewing Baskets
Folding Sewing Baskets of Japanese bamboo, with blue and white Japanese cloth. The kind that lasts forever—with needle and button pockets **$1.59**

$2.95 Blue Print Breakfast Cloths
Full 60-inch, hemstitched all around, in assorted colors and patterns..... **$2.19**

$2.25 Blue Print Scarfs
Very exceptional quality table or breakfast Scarfs, with hand-crochet edges. A very large assortment of designs **$1.00**

$3.95 Battenberg Covers
These are very pretty designs, with plain and drawn-work centers **$2.95**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)



Up to $16.50 Leather Traveling Bags

An assortment of 35 Bags—almost every one different. Made of cowhide leather—some with black walrus grain, seal grain, etc., leather lined, waterproof lined and fine cravenette lined. Special for Friday... **$9.85**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$8.75 and $9.75 Angora Scarfs
Angora Wool Scarfs, also some silk mixture wool Scarfs in heather or plain colors with belt, pocket and hand knotted fringe..... **$6.75**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$6.75 and $7.75 Angora Scarfs
Heavy brushed Wool Scarfs, in various border designs, finished with belt, pocket and hand-knotted fringe..... **$4.95**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

Special Purchase and Sale of More Than

500 Plaid Skirts

Selling Earlier in the Season for $16.95, $15.00, $12.95 and $10.00; Choice Tomorrow.

A Real Skirt Treat to the Women of St. Louis. You Can't Afford to Miss It.

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Our buyer in New York, fortunate enough to secure them at a manufacturer's selling-out price, has just sent us these beautiful, brand-new Skirts in the season's most wanted styles and colorings.

The warm colorings of the delightful plaids are here in abundance, but if you prefer a check plaid or stripe we have them in this lot to suit your preference at the lowest price of the season, $5.00.

Striking color combinations in attractive plaids fashioned in

Box Pleats
Side Pleats
Knife Pleats
Narrow Box Plaits
Combination Plaits
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

$1.75 to $2.25 Vestees
100 dozen Net Vestees, ornamented with many rows of fine Val. laces, in white or ecru **95c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$2.75 Venise Vestees
This is the very latest creation of neckwear for this season. A limited quantity at very special prices..... **$1.25**
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Friday Candy Special
Pecan Roll
Regularly $1.00 lb.; lb. **59c**
(Main Floor—Nugents.)

$1.50 & $2 Knickers
Boys' corduroy and full lined cassimere Knickers; belt loops and button bottoms. Sizes 6 to 16..... **$1.19**
(Second Floor—Nugents.)

Women's $1.90 Felt Comfy Slippers

Come with soft kid padded soles—in colors wine, navy blue, lavender, old rose, Oxford gray. All sizes to 8..... **$1.60**

Women's Comfy Slippers
The celebrated Daniel Green brand; finest quality felt, with soft kid padded soles in pink, purple, orchard, Oxford gray, brown, old rose, taupe, light blue, Copenhagen and navy blue. All sizes to 8..... **$2.25**

Misses' and Children's Slippers
Sizes 6 to 11, **$1.65** Sizes 11½ to 2, **$1.90**
Comfy style, with fancy designs on vamps; colors dark blue, red, light blue. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

Men's Felt Slippers
$2.00, $2.45, $2.95
Choice of high cut or comfy styles—with leather or soft kid padded soles; in colors navy blue, Oxford gray and brown. Sizes 6 to 11.
(Main Floor Balcony—Nugents.)

$7.50 Electric Heating Pads

Hold heat; guaranteed, with three heats. None delivered **$5.65**

$1.25 Transformers
"The Arrow" does away with door bell batteries; none delivered **$1.10**

Glasbak Cooking Ware
Guaranteed not to break in the oven.

Pie Plates	85c
Cake Plates	85c
Bread Pans	98c
Utility Dishes	98c

Electric Tree Outfits
Complete, ready to attach. None delivered.

8-light	$2.65
16-light	$5.30
24-light	$8.25

$7.50 Electric Vibrators, $5.85
"The Drake;" has three attachments, guaranteed 5 years. None delivered.

$5.35 Electric Iron, $4.85
"The Bon;" guaranteed complete with cord and stand.

Electric Curling Iron, $2.95
"Hold Heat;" guaranteed. None delivered.

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

PRACTICAL GIFTS for Every Christmas List

$3.00 Silk Bloomers
Wash satin and crepe de chine Bloomers, in flesh color; elastic knee, finished with hemstitched ruffle or shirred cuff **$2.25**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$1.50 Camisoles
Camisoles of wash satin and crepe de chine; lace trimmed and tailored models, in pink, navy and brown; sizes up to 44 ..... **$1.25**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$5.00 and $6.00 Philippine Lingerie
Philippine Nightgowns and Envelope Chemises; elaborately embroidered by hand, in various designs; hand scalloped and eyelets ribbon drawn; all made of fine quality nainsook **$3.79**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

$6.50 Extra-Size Petticoats
Petticoats with silk jersey tops and taffeta flounces, and all taffeta with sectional tucked flounces, finished with small pleatings, in all the popular colors..... **$5.50**
(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

59c Cretonne
Suitable for overdraperies; 36 inches wide; shown in a wonderful range of patterns and colors; yard..... **39c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$2.95 Marquisette Curtains
Hemstitched and trimmed with lace edge. White and ecru tints. 100 pairs to offer; pair..... **$1.47**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$5.50 Corduroy Robes
Robes made of good quality corduroy; breakfast coat and straight models. Come in rose, pink, blue and purple **$4.47**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$5.00 Japanese Kimonos
Kimonos of Japanese crepe; hand embroidered in many tractive floral and bird designs, in rose, pink, delft and light blue; pair..... **$2.87**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$1.00 Petticoats
Petticoats of cotton taffeta, with sectional flounce. Come in floral designs **79c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Women's $1.98 All Thread Silk Hose
Full fashioned style, with reinforced sole and double heel and toe; in brown, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Slight seconds **97c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Women's 75c Fiber Hose
Black, tan, gray and white, with double heel and toe, lisle tops. Seconds. All sizes..... **57c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$2.50 Extra-Size Hemmed Sheets
81x99 inches; ready for use; full bleached **$1.74**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Girls' $10.00 Winter Coats
Ages 8 to 14 years. These beautiful Coats are all new, with all the real smart ideas. The kind a girl likes; big collars, button trimmed, in the good colors..... **$6.95**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

Women's $1.50 Union Suits
Medium weight, tucked stitch, cotton with long sleeves, high necks, Dutch necks, elbow sleeves; all ankle length. Regular sizes **89c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

85c Bath Towels
A large, heavy-weight Bath Towel, in colored plaids and borders. Colors orange, lavender, blue and pink.. **57c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$1.25 Table Damask
A splendid quality, in all the wanted designs; yard **69c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

35c Yard Part Linen Toweling
An excellent grade; warranted part linen weft, with a heavy blue border; yard..... **21c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$3.00 Mercerized Tablecloth
Either hemstitched or scalloped. All good patterns; 54x70 inches **$1.57**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$3.50 French Serge
48-inch, beautiful quality, all-wool, double warp, fine close twill; correct weight for suits, dresses and skirts, in the wanted navy blue; yard..... **$1.77**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$1.50 Silk Poplin
3000 yards fine, soft, lustrous, evenly and firmly woven quality, in navy, midnight, Copenhagen or Pekin blue, African or seal brown, plum, purple, old rose and white; yard wide; yard..... **77c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$2.00 and $2.50 Crepe de Chine
40-inch, fine, soft, lustrous quality, in navy, Copenhagen or light blue, African or seal brown, plum, Nile or sage green, strawberry, old rose, tan, yellow, lavender, pink or white or black; yard..... **$1.27**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$1.50 Camisole
Wash satin, built-up or strap style, tailored and lace trimmed, in flesh, red, navy and brown..... **97c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$1.25 Envelope Chemise
Envelope Chemise of nainsook, trimmed with embroidery medallion, lace insertion and lace edge..... **94c**
(Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

$4.50 Crochet Spreads
Full size, in several heavy raised patterns; hemmed style **$2.95**
(Third Floor—Nugents.)

FOR PARITY IN TAXING MORTGAGES AND BONDS

Hiram Lloyd Tells Real Estate Men Uniformity Is Needed to Attract Investors to Housing.

Real estate mortgages must be placed upon a parity with Government and State bonds as to taxation if new homes are to be built in the required number, Hiram Lloyd, Lieutenant-Governor-elect, told members of the Real Estate Exchange at the American Annex yesterday.

Lloyd said that persons with money to invest had surrendered their patriotism to their pocketbook to the extent that they would not invest in securities subject to taxation for the upkeep of the Government, if they could put their money into something else which escapes taxes. This militates against building, he said, and is a factor in the deplorable housing conditions here.

All property should be on the same basis as to taxation, he said, with real estate, notes, bonds, money, mortgages and personal property, assessed at 100 per cent, and all incomes, even down to the $3-a-day man, should be taxed, at least to a nominal extent, to make him part of the Government.

Members of the Real Estate Exchange should favor a redistricting of the State which will give St. Louis larger representation in the State Legislature, Lloyd declared, explaining that at present St. Louis, which pays about 45 per cent of the taxes of the State, has only 16 representatives in the House and six in the Senate. He also declared that legislators should be persons of broad guage, sound judgment and iron hearts, and that if the real estate men wanted legislators like that, the time to do their work was in the primary.

He deplored the failure of the proposed constitutional amendment intended to increase the pay of legislators, saying that men of brains and ability are expected to go to Jefferson City at $5 a day, where it will cost them $6 to $7 a day to live and provide for their families, stay honest, enact good laws and return to their homes poorer by several hundred dollars, than when they left. Missourians really don't deserve good measures under the circumstances, he said.

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Bargain No. 12. Large size, full round tone; rebuilt and in good condition.... $95

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Bargain No. 28. Here is a Piano that will give several years good wear and service. Very good tone; small size 45

Bargain No. 22. Upright, entirely rebuilt and refinished. A good bargain at $165

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MEETING OF ALL DRY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS CALLED

Conference to Be Held in Kansas City Wednesday to Lay Plans for Enforcing State Bone Dry Law.

20 INVITED BY HOWELL TO ATTEND

Appointment of Marshall Campbell as Assistant Attorney-General, in Charge of Enforcement, Announced.

Shrader P. Howell, State Prohibition Director, has called a conference to be held in Kansas City next Wednesday, to which he has invited all of the Federal and State officers concerned with the enforcement of the Volstead act and the new State bone dry law, to devise plans for effective co-operation in enforcing the dry laws.

Coincident with Howell's announcement, Jesse W. Barrett, Attorney-General-elect, made public his selection of Marshall Campbell, City Attorney of Sedalia, Mo., and son of the Rev Stephen B. Campbell of St. Louis, District Superintendent for the Methodist Episcopal church, to be Assistant Attorney-General in charge of prohibition enforcement, under the new administration.

Satisfactory to Drys.

Campbell, who is known to be satisfactory to dry forces, holds degrees from Southwest Teachers' College and Drury College, Springfield, Mo., and has studied at Missouri Wesleyan College, Cameron, Mo., and Central Missouri Teachers' College, Warrensburg. He was at various times managing editor of the Springfield Missouri Republican and telegraph editor of the Joplin Globe, and during the war was in the United States embassy at London.

Barrett, who was invited by Howell to attend the prohibition conference, notified Campbell also to attend.

About 20 persons have been invited by Howell to attend the conference in Kansas City, among them Chief of Police O'Brien and Prosecuting Attorney Sidener, United States District Attorney Carroll, Vance J. Higgs, special assistant United States Attorney-General, and F. T. Digges, Supervisor of Prohibition Enforcement, all of St. Louis.

Prosecutors Urged to Attend.

The prosecuting attorneys and prosecutors-elect of Jackson, Greene, Jasper and Buchanan counties, Chief of Police Godley of Kansas City, also have been urged to attend, as have David Gates of Little Rock, Federal District Supervisor of Prohibition Enforcement, A. B. Munsey, supervisor at Kansas City, and Attorney-General McAllister.

Just what measures will be offered to the conference are not known, though Federal officers here have suggested that the State take over the prosecution of first offenders, leaving the Government to deal only with second offenders.

Barrett said that he had not completed his study of the Volstead act and the State bone dry law, hence has not clearly outlined yet the policies, if any, which he will lay before the conferees.

POLICE CANVASS TO GET NAMES OF WORTHY DESTITUTE STARTED

Policemen today started to canvass the city for the names of all worthy destitute families in order that a list of such persons may be furnished charitably inclined organizations or persons.

Chief O'Brien in ordering the canvass instructs the police to be specially inquisitive about widows and their families, asking that the names, ages, etc., of all the children be included in the report. The list is to be completed, he says, not later than Wednesday, Dec. 15.

WOMAN AND CHILDREN POISONED

Family Found Violently Ill From Ptomaines.

Mrs. Anna Smith, 26, of 3322 Vista avenue, and her two children, Irma, 7, and Charles, 3, were found violently ill from ptomaine poisoning by the husband and father, Charles, when he returned home at 4 p. m. yesterday. A doctor, after several hours, reported them out of danger.

Smith told the police his wife and children had partaken of a lunch of cheese, spaghetti, hamburger steak and canned tomatoes purchased from a neighboring store. Sample of each of the edibles mentioned were turned over to the police for an analysis by the City Bacteriologist.

Gen. Angele's Children Pensioned.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9.—The Senate, after eulogizing Gen. Felipe Angeles, former Villa leader, as one of the republic's most brilliant patriots, has adopted a bill providing for a pension of six pesos ($3) daily for his daughter and two sons until they become of age. The children, who are now in New York, were orphaned when their father was shot late last year after being captured by Carranza forces, the shock killing their invalid mother.

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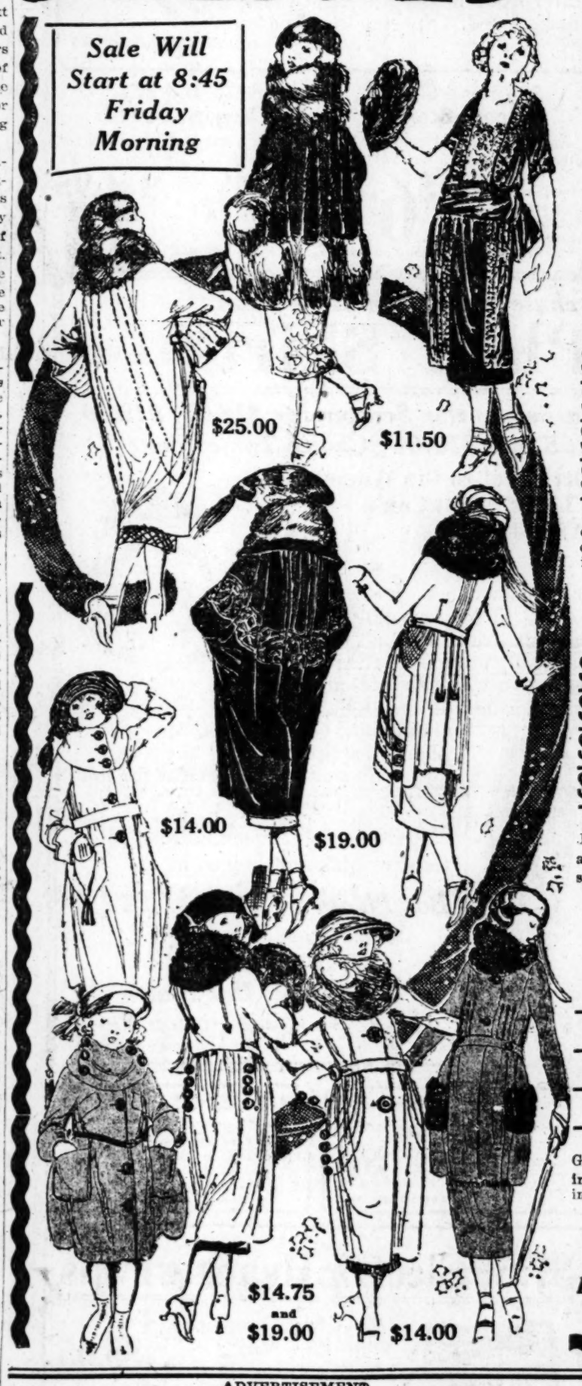
10,000 SUITS COATS DRESSES SACRIFICED

Sale Will Start at 8:45 Friday Morning



PRICES HAVE DROPPED IN THE MARKET—

We have been in a wonderful position to buy heavily at the lower prices—and in addition we have readjusted regular stocks and drastically reduced prices to meet the new conditions, making possible this sensational sale!!

January Prices Now—that is what we offer our customers in this sale. Market conditions have favored us because we had the courage to take the **First Steps Months Ago to Reduce Prices and Take a Loss.** That brought a record business and put us in a position to **replace the same merchandise at Lower Prices.** So we can offer garments in this sale at January prices now.

No ordinary event—no ordinary values—would call for such an announcement as this—and in truth it **is the outstanding ready-to-wear sale of many years**—think of it? Over ten thousand women's, misses' and children's garments at such sensational prices. Such values that will make this store the talk of the country. Attend this sale and witness this spectacular event yourself.

$22 Garments, $19 Garments, $15 Garments, $12 Garments — **$7.50**

The price does not even cover the cost of raw materials used in the garments.

SALE PRICE,

$30 Garments, $28 Garments, $25 Garments, $23 Garments — **$11.50**

"Out they go"—at prices that you would expect in January.

SALE PRICE,

$45 Garments, $39 Garments, $35 Garments, $32 Garments — **$14**

Coats, Suits and Dresses; hundreds and hundreds of styles and materials.

SALE PRICE,

$55 Garments, $51 Garments, $48 Garments, $46 Garments — **$19**

In this group you will find such garments that will fairly electrify the community.

SALE PRICE,

$65, $63, $60, $57 and $55 Garments — **$25**

"Higher Priced Garments" shown in the finest stores in the city now.

SALE PRICE,

$90, $80, $75, $70 and $67.50 Garments — **$33**

"Exclusive" Wraps, Coats, Gowns, Dresses and Suits, regardless of costs.

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Chuck, lb	10c	Rib and Loin Pork Chops, lb	23c
Chuck Prime, lb	12c	Neck Pork Chops, lb	20c
Rib of Beef, lb	15c	Pork Shoulders, lb	15c
Beef Liver, lb	12½c	Spare Ribs, lb	16c
Beef Shoulder, (boneless), lb	20c	Neck Bones, lb	7c
Wieners, lb	18c	Pigs Feet, lb	7c
Frankfurters, lb	18c	Hog Liver, lb	5c
Liver Sausage, lb	10c	Hog Hearts, lb	10c

Fresh Hams, whole or half, per pound 17½c

VEAL Breast, lb. Chops, lb. Stew, lb.... **10c** Shoulder, lb.....10c Leg, lb.....13c Loin, lb.....13c

Hamburger, lb., 12c SHORT RIBS, FLANK, lb...10c BRISKET BEEF, lb.....10c

2 lbs. Pure Lard With purchase of fresh meat amounting to $1 or more. **28c**

SPECIAL BROOKFIELD FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER—Sweet as a nut, pure as a lily; ¼-pound prints; pound 50c

$2.00 Eagle Stamps with pound Mt. Auburn Coffee	40c	$4.00 Eagle Stamps with pound M. & J. Coffee	45c
No. 2 can Standard pack Sugar Corn	10c	No. 2 can Mignonette Petit Pois Peas, 2 cans	25c
Temtor Pancake or Buckwheat Flour, pkg	10c	Sambo Pancake Flour	14c
		Mamma's Pancake Flour	15c
$10.00 Eagle Stamps with pound Gunpowder Tea	60c	Wisconsin Creamery; pound cartons, 35c; 5 pounds	$1.65
New Mackerel, each	10c	Flat can Salmon	10c
Spiced Herring, 2 for	5c	Fancy Sardines, in tomato sauce	10c
Rolled Herring, each	4c	Delmonte Sardines, can	20c

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HOTEL MAY NOT BE USED FOR GIRLS' HOME

Letmar Club Will Abandon Plan If Purchaser for Shardell Property Can Be Found.

The directors of the Letmar Club have announced that the club's plan to convert the Shardell Hotel, Lindell boulevard and Boyle avenue, into a home for working girls, will be abandoned, and the home will be located elsewhere, if the club can find a purchaser for the hotel property. The club has set April 15 as the time for taking possession of the hotel property and opening the proposed home, if it still owns the building at that time.

Members of the Lindell Boulevard Association, residents of Lindell boulevard, made known in September their objections to the proposed institution. Robert L. McLaren, president of the association, said at that time that he hoped the organization could co-operate with the Letmar management in finding another location for the working girls' home. The Letmar management now says that it can find a new location, and that the assistance needed is in disposing of the Lindell boulevard property.

CHANGE OF RESIDENCE DISTRICT TO INDUSTRIAL PROPOSED

Petition Blanks to Be Circulated Among Property Owners Along Wabash Right of Way.

The City Plan Commission, at a meeting Tuesday night, decided to circulate official petition blanks among owners of property in a proposed new factory district between Broadway and the city limits and Florissant and McLaran avenues, along the Wabash right of way. It is proposed to change this from a second residence and commercial district to an industrial district.

A public hearing on the proposed change was held last week. John L. Grether, a real estate agent, advocated the change.

In the course of his remarks he said Architect E. E. Christopher of the City Plan Commission did not seem interested in bringing factories to St. Louis. Christopher arose and said: "You're a liar."

After last night's meeting Christopher submitted his resignation as architect of the commission, to take effect Jan. 1. It was accepted. Christopher said his resignation had no connection with the clash between him and Grether at the public hearing, but he was resigning to accept a similar position with the American City Consultant, a civic organization of New York. His salary here was $350 a month.

Chancellor of U. of Denver Resigns.

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Dec. 9.—Henry A. Buchtel, chancellor of the University of Denver since 1900, has resigned because of ill health. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy last September. Buchtel was Governor of Colorado from 1907 to 1909.

VOTE AGAINST CAMBRIDGE CO-EDS

Women Refused Full Membership at English University.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Cambridge University yesterday, by a vote of 904 to 712, refused women full membership in the university on equal terms with men. Most of the other universities, including Oxford, have already granted full membership to women, and the decision means that women attending Cambridge University, who are present at the same lectures and take the same honors and examinations as the men, are still prevented from taking degrees.

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MAN IS KILLED BY MUNICIPAL STREET CAR

He Was Trying to Drag Wagon on Tracks From Mudhole Beside Road.

George Biljanski, 42 years old, of 7100 Hall street, was struck and killed by a street car on the Municipal Railway at 11 o'clock last night when trying to pull his wagon out of a mudhole alongside the tracks at the intersection of Carrie avenue.

The horse that had been attached to the wagon when Biljanski left home to buy groceries at 7 p. m., was not found in the neighborhood, and is supposed to have run away when the collision occurred.

Motorman August Krewinghaus, operating the car, said he was southbound when the headlight of the car showed Biljanski when the car was but a few feet from the spot. There is no regular crossing at that point, and when he saw Biljanski, he said, the latter was in the shafts of the wagon trying to drag it on the tracks. He said the distance was too short to stop the car, and Biljanski was struck and knocked several feet. He was taken on the car to a physician's office, where he was pronounced dead.

Biljanski's wife, Kate, and their five children, found at home by the police, said they could not account for Biljanski being at the point where the accident occurred unless the horse had run away, and had drawn the wagon to the unimproved point in the road where the wagon had mired.

REPORTS THAT ALL ARMENIA HAS ADOPTED BOLSHEVISM

Constantinople Hears Also That Soviet Azerbaijan Has Been Ceded to Soviet Armenia.

By the Associated Press.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 9.—Unconfirmed reports received here say that the whole of Armenia has gone Bolshevik. The reports add that Soviet Azerbaijan has been ceded to Soviet Armenia and that it is expected Georgia will follow Armenia's lead and adopt Bolshevism.

New Claimant to Cowan Estate.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—A temporary injunction restraining heirs to the $2,000,000 estate of William P. Cowan, late president of the Standard Oil Co., from disposing of their property, was granted yesterday by Federal Judge Page. The action followed filing of a suit by Charles D. Cowan of Albany, N. Y., 83 years old, who claimed that he was the sole heir of Cowan and that the claims of all others were false.

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Children's black ribbed Hose; sizes 5 to 10½. Special..... 29c

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Women's black Jersey Gloves; fleece lined; special..... 10c

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PLAYS VIOLIN IN COURT TO SHOW INJURY TO HAND

Morris Levy, Alleging He Was Hurt by Motorman, Seeks to Collect $50,000 Damages From U. R.

Ellis Levy, a violinist, of 4573 McPherson avenue, used his violin in demonstrating to a jury in the Circuit Court today how his playing had been impaired by an injury to his left hand which he claims was inflicted by a motorman for the United Railways. He is suing the street car company for $50,000 damages.

Levy, who in addition to being a first violinist in the Symphony Orchestra, also is a concert player, declared that he is no longer able to play difficult compositions such as he was accustomed to execute before his hand was hurt, and he showed the jury how the stiffness of his left hand prevents this.

Before his injury, he testified, he frequently played at important concerts, but since then has been able to play only at minor performances.

How Injury Was Inflicted.

The accident which he says led to the injury occurred on April 25, when his automobile was hit by a street car at Boyle and Olive streets. He testified that the motorman got out of the car after the collision, and requested him to write his name and address in the motorman's notebook. While he was complying, he said, he asked the motorman:

"Now give me your name and address." The motorman, he said, replied: "My name and address don't matter," and snatched the notebook from Levy's hand with so much force that several small bones in the violinist's hands were broken.

The company does not deny the fact of the incident having occurred, but the motorman contends that he thought Levy was going to run away with the notebook, and denies that he used enough force to injure Levy's hand.

Laid Up for Six Months.

A physician testified that the bones in Levy's hand had knit well, but that they were slightly out of alignment, which would necessarily interfere with movement requiring such delicacy of touch as that of playing the violin. Much care was necessary in protecting the hand while it was healing, and Levy testified that he was unable to use his instrument at all for six months after the accident. His earnings as a teacher and performer normally amounted to $3000 a year, he said. He is 33 years old, and has been playing ever since he was 7, he told the jury.

Further testimony supporting Levy's claim to his previous standing as a violinist was given by Elmore R. Condon, a violin teacher of 1315 Laurel avenue. He said that Levy was recognized by musicians as a virtuoso, having given at a concert several years ago a Vieuxtemps concerto which is recognized among violinists as a standard test of a violinist's ability.

Levy Was Virtuoso, Teacher Says.

Levy was asked by a reporter after he left the stand whether he still is able to play the concerto mentioned by Condon.

"No, I wouldn't attempt it now," he replied.

Condon explained that the left hand has a more important function than the right in playing a violin, because it is the one with which the fingering is done, and therefore great flexibility is required of it. There are 13 possible positions of the hand in fingering, he said, but ordinary players are able to reach only five of these. Only virtuosi can reach all 13, he said, and added that Levy had been able to do so before his injury.

Receiver for Phonograph Company.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Receivers in equity were appointed today for the Emerson Phonograph Co., Inc., of New York, by Judge John C. Knox, in the United States District Court. The bill of complaint gave the company's assets as upwards of $1,200,000 and its liabilities as approximately $1,000,000, of which $800,000 is unsecured.

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The Rev. William Leatherman Dies.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., Dec. 9.—The Rev. William Leatherman, 77 years old, a superannuated Methodist minister and a member of the St. Louis Methodist Conference for 35 years, died Monday at his home in Georgetown, nine miles west of here. He moved from Missouri to Georgetown a year ago.

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Women's Corsets, made of strong, durable materials; formerly $2.50; size 18, 19, 20 only; a great bargain at..... **$1.25**

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Women's Envelope Chemise; neatly made and trimmed; former $1.50 values. Special. **$1.00**

Gowns

Women's muslin Slip-over Gowns; lace and embroidery trimmed; formerly $2.69, **$1.98**

Union Suits

$1.69 Value.. **$1.19**

Women's Ribbed Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, low neck, no sleeves, ankle length; all sizes; formerly sold at $1.69; special, $1.19

Vests or Pants

Women's Ribbed Vests or Pants, fleeced, cut full; splendid value; special, each... **98c**

Nightshirts Boys' Flannelette Nightshirts, made of good quality material. **$1.39**

Pajamas Men's and Boys' Flannelette Pajamas; excellent quality and values. **$1.98**

Hose Women's Heather mixed Hose; formerly $2.50 pair; special. **95c**

$2.50 Auto Gloves

Men's black leather Gloves, with strap at wrist and heavy warm fleece lining; extra special..... **$1.49**

Boys' $2.00 Fur Mittens

Suede leather palms, warm fleece lining and heavy long fur on backs; extra special..... **95c**

Boys' 59c Scout Gauntlets

All-leather hands, back and front, with leatherette gauntlet cuff; pair..... **39c**

50c Gloves

Women's black, gray or white lisle and chamoisette Gloves; 2-clasp style; some with fleece linings **39c**

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Black chamoisette; very fine, smooth, soft quality, with gauntlet cuff and strap wrist; black in all sizes; special, a pair..... **$1.39**

Silk Mull Scarfs

Dainty soft Silk Mull Headscarfs, with brocaded dot designs; size 18x60 inches; with hemstitched border; white, pink, sky, lavender and black. Extra special..... **50c**

Initial Handkerchiefs

Men's hemstitched soft white cambric Handkerchiefs, with handsome embroidered initial in corner; 6 in box..... **88c**

Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs

Ladies' very fine all-silk Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs; white or dainty colors; many with beautiful fine embroidered buds in corner. Extra special **25c**

$1.39 Vanity Purses

The new flat popular shape in patent leather finish; like cut. Extra special **$1**

$4.50 French Serge

Another shipment of these excellent Serges; 54 inches wide, all pure wool, fine twill French Serge, soft finish, for dresses, middles, etc.; splendid for accordion pleating; at less than half price; a yd..... **$1.98**

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36-inch, silk finish, Corduroy; navy blue and brown; a yard..... **78c**

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Scotch Plaids, in imitation of the higher grade materials, bright or subdued softer patterns; in scores of attractive designs; special.... **29c**

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Women's Felt Juliets and Comfy Slippers. Choice of leather or cushion soles; good array of colors; all sizes— **$1.69**

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Tan or black leathers; Everett or Romeo styles; all sizes; at, $2.69 and **$2.45**

Friday Shoe special for women and growing girls.

Choice of chocolate, tan, patent and dull leathers; high and low heels; all sizes; $6 values— **$3.45**

High or Low Heels

GIRLS' SHOES—Chocolate or black leathers; newest styles are featured in the lot; sizes 11½ to 2, $3.95; 8½ to 11..... **$2.48**

Blankets

Fancy Striped Blankets, size 64x72, good weight; worth $3.00; on sale; per pair..... **$1.98**

$4.00 Blankets

Cotton Fleeced Blankets, size 64x80; tan and fancy plaids; per pair..... **$2.98**

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Heavy twilled Blankets; large size; tan, gray and fancy checks; pair, **$3.98**

Blankets

Wool-Filled Blankets; size 66x80; fancy plaids, good weight, soft finish; per pair..... **$6.98**

SHEETS

$2.49 Value at..... **$1.49**

Bleached, hemmed, seamless; size 81x90; slightly imperfect. Sale price $1.49

59c Bath Towels

Bleached, hemmed; size 20x40. Sale price..... **39c**

$5.00 Tablecloths

Fine mercerized Damask; hemstitched; size 64x72 in. Sale price..... **$3.49**

$3.00 Jointed Kid-Body Dolls

Extra special for Friday only, we offer a 14 and 16 inch jointed kid-body doll with hair. No C. O. D., phone or mail orders filled..... **$1.98**

$2.25 Sand-Mill

Sand Mill, like cut, stands 18 inches high, made of wood, decorated in bright red; a large, beautiful, substantially-built toy for every girl or boy; sold regular at $2.25; while 500 last at..... **$1.00** (Small Wind Mill not included.)

$8.00 Hand-Car

Just received a factory shipment of rubber-tired hand cars which we will sacrifice Friday. No mail or phone orders taken. Very special..... **$5.98**

$12.00 Automobile, rubber-tired, with bumper.....$8.98
$2.25 Horse and Cart; extra special.....$1.49
$2.25 Mechanical Train on track; Overland Flyer..$1.79
$6.00 Slip-seat Spanish leatherette Arm Rockers...$3.98

Cotton Mattress

EXTRA SPECIAL—All cotton Mattresses, rolled edge, covered in good quality ticking; all sizes; weight 45 lbs.; only **$7.98**

$1.00 Ringwalts Floorcovering

Cut from roll, as many yards as desired; made extra heavy and 100% waterproof; sold subject to slight misprint in pattern; square yd.... **69c**

4-Yard-Wide Cork Linoleum

Extra special mill remnants of 4-yard wide genuine Cork Linoleum, with burlap back; if sold from roll worth $1.89 sq. yard; Friday, square yard..... **98c**

City News in Brief

MISCELLANEOUS

PERCIVAL CHUBB, LEADER OF THE Ethical Society, will speak on "The National Celebration of the Pilgrim Tercentenary: Plans and Possibilities," at a luncheon at 1:15 p. m. Saturday at the Town Club, 809 Century Building. Guest privileges will be allowed.

MEMBERS OF THE JUNIOR CHAMBER will meet this evening at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at 8:30 to hear announcement of the result of the election of officers. A resolution recommending certain improvements in the city hospital, as the result of a civic tour recently conducted through that institution, will be presented by the Civic Committee fo radoption. Certain changes in the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce constitution will be voted upon. A national counselor will be selected.

THE OAKVILLE MAENNERCHOR WILL give a minstrel show and ball Saturday night at the Oakville Farmers' Club Hall on Telegraph road, three miles south of Jefferson Barracks.

THE ASSOCIATED RETAIL CREDIT Men of St. Louis will meet this evening at the American Annex Hotel. Dinner will be served at 6:30 and the business meeting will commence at 7:30. There will be an election of officers and a mock trial will be conducted. Lawrence McDaniel will act as judge. J. K. Lord Jr. and Norman J. Sadler will represent the plaintiff and Barney Schwartz and William Baer will represent the defendant.

PROF. W. M. BUTLER, PRINCIPAL OF Yeatman High School, will speak on "The Needs and Value of St. Louis Schools" at the North Side Y. M. C. A., Grand and Sullivan avenues, at 8 o'clock tomorrow. A moving picture program will precede the address.

A ST. LOUIS CHAPTER OF THE RED Triangle League will be formed by war workers who served the Y. M. C. A. at a meeting tonight at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., Twentieth and Eugenia streets. The organization meeting will be preceded by a lecture at 8:15 on "The Creed of Democracy," by Granville Jones.

DR. ROBERT EMMETT KANE WILL deliver an address at the annual memorial services for the deceased members of Kenrick Council No. 686, Knights of Columbus, tonight at the council clubrooms, 3549 Olive street. James T. O'Donnell, Grand Knight of the council, will preside.

LECTURES ON "MILLIONS NOW LIVing Will Never Die" will be delivered before the International Bible Students' Association at the Wednesday Club auditorium by W. E. Vanamberg of New York tonight and by S. Morton of England at 2:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

FRANK KRILL, 24 YEARS OLD, OF 319 Russell avenue, shot himself in the left foot accidentally while cleaning a revolver last night at his home. He thought it was not loaded.

CHARLES HAEHEUR, 61, OF 7938 Oberbeck avenue, a bartender at 8890 North Broadway, was taken to the city hospital with a fractured skull yesterday after he had stumbled in the saloon and fallen against a window sill. His condition was said to be serious.

MISS LOTTIE BANKS, 3218 PINE street, a dressmaker, was awarded $10,000 damages in Circuit Judge Grimm's court yesterday against Morris & Co., on account of injuries she received when she was struck by a truck of the defendant company June 3 last. The accident happened at Compton avenue and Pine street. Her right leg was fractured and she received other injuries.

TWO PLAYS, "LAND OF HEART'S DEsire," by Yates, and "The Madonna," by Middleton, will constitute a Christmas entertainment by the expression department of Lindenwood College, Miss M. Porter, director, Friday evening, in the college auditorium. The parts will be taken by Leon Crane, Dorothy Weber, Adelaide Hodgson, Merle Goldsmith, Ernestine Embry, Adolpha Phillips, Ferne Estes, Nadine Talbot, Lyle Dickey and Frieda Guenther.

CO-ED VAUDEVILLE TALENT AMONG students at Washington University is to have its annual display Saturday, at 2:30 and 8 p. m., in North Hall, on the campus. Five sororities are sponsoring nine acts. The sororities are Asklepios, W. A. A., Women's Glee and Mandolin Clubs and women of Thyrsus.

THE MASTER PAINTERS' AND DECOrators' Association at its annual meeting elected the following officers for 1921: Thos. Blonz, president; C. P. Kidwell, vice president; A. G. Clark, secretary; W. A. Thomun, treasurer; A. F. Hewitt, sergeant-at-arms. J. W. Lane was indorsed for international president.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION League Unit of the Catholic Woman's League will give a card party Dec. 15, both in afternoon and evening, at the school hall, 3031 Park avenue, for the benefit of the parish free school.

THE HAMILTON SCHOOL PARENTS' and Teachers' Association will hold its annual Christmas entertainment at the school, Hamilton and Westminster avenues, Dec. 21, in the evening. Over 3000 persons attended the entertainment last year. Walter J. G. Neun is president of the association.

POLICE ITEMS

MRS. MARY HASENMUELLER OF 2105 Arsenal street was looking in a store window near Grand avenue and Arsenal street yesterday evening when a woman described as about 50 years old crowded alongside her for a few seconds and then moved on. Later Mrs. Hasenmueller discovered her hand bag open and a smaller purse containing $45 missing.

THE ROOM OF JAMES CALLAHAN AT a rooming house at 3411 Washington avenue was robbed yesterday of $250 in clothing and the room of George Ryan of $150 in clothing, according to reports to the police.

Barrel of Cookies for Orphans.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SKIDMORE, Mo., Dec. 9.—The children of the Christian Church orphans' home at St. Louis will get a barrel of cookies as the result of a pledge made by the women of the Christian Church of this city. For several days the women have been baking spice cookies, molasses cookies and old-fashioned nut cookies, and now the barrel is full and ready to be forwarded.

German-Austrian Union Discussed.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 9.—Count Ottokar Czernin von Chudenitz, former Foreign Minister of Austria, is in Berlin discussing with leading politicians the possibility of uniting Germany and Austria following Austria's admission into the League of Nations, says the Berlin correspondent of the Politiken today.

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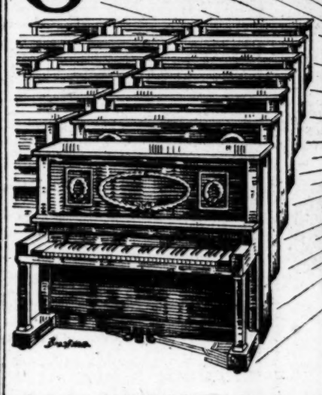

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Briggs Piano— Walnut case—in this sale	$125.00
Pease Piano— Oak case—in this sale	$140.00
Brewster Piano— Mahogany case—sale price	$145.00
Mathusek— Walnut case—in this sale	$125.00

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A SUPERIOR 88-note instrument with Gulbransen action—has been thoroughly overhauled—was $670.00 when new—in this sale $398.00

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Norfolk Strike Vote Begins.

By the Associated Press.

ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 9.—Members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen employed on the Norfolk & Western railroad began a strike vote last night after conferences with the railroad officials had reached a deadlock. N. D. Maher, president of the railroad, announced that the question of an increase in wages was at issue. The ballot submitted to the men was said to set forth a list of 14 grievances against the company. About 2500 employes are affected.

MEXICO TO SLACKEN EFFORTS TO OBTAIN U. S. RECOGNITION

Campaign Not to Be Carried On So Actively Under Obregon as It Was Under Huerta.

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9.—Efforts to obtain recognition by the United States of the Obregon regime in Mexico will not be carried on as actively as they were under the administration of Adolfo de la Huerta, it is indicated here. The fact that within the past few days Japan, Germany and Brazil have recognized Mexico has aroused only mild newspaper comment. Several journals have urged editorially the necessity of recognition by the United States.

President Obregon spent the most of his first week in official life at home recuperating from the strenuous program of the inauguration. He is following a rigid program of diet and exercise. Gen. Benjamin Hill, Secretary of War, is also ill.

TOWN PROVIDES FREE FUNERALS

All Necessaries Furnished, but No Luxuries.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

BERLIN, Dec. 9.—Free funerals for all is the latest communistic novelty. The town of Schedewitz, in Saxony, offers its inhabitants all the necessaries of death free of charge. These include a coffin, "corpse clothes," professional treatment by local undertakers, grave digging and transportation on a truck to a cemetery.

But the community will not pay for the luxuries of dying. Those bereaved must continue to settle the cost of a hearse, of flowers, of tolling the church bell and playing the organ, and of keeping the graves and tombstones in order.

FREE BATH TOWELS

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OFFER NO. 2—Bath Towel, 18x37½ inches. Heavy Terry. 75c value. Free for 5 dozen wrappers.

OFFER NO. 3—Glass Toweling, 16 inches wide, linen finish, absorbent. 40c value. One yard Free for 3 dozen wrappers.

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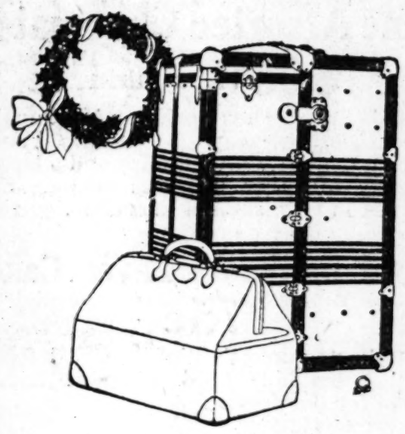

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Traveling Bags.....$2 to $75
Suitcases .....$1 to $75
Trunks.....$6.50 to $125
Leather Tie Cases..$5 to $13.75
Collar Bags.....$1.85 to $7
Hdkf. Cases.....$1.75 to $2.50
Gents' Toilet Sets....$5 to $70
Ladies' Toilet Sets...$7 to $70
Fitted Traveling Bags—$35 to $65
Fitted Suitcases, $17 to $185.50
Military Brush Sets—$1.75 to $15
Playing Card Sets, $1.25 to $4
Sewing Sets.....$11 to $30
Auto Lunch Sets....$15 to $40
Music Portfolios—$1.75 to $10.50
First Aid Medicine Sets—$2 to $22
Boston Bags.....$6.50 to $15
Ladies' Shopping Bags—$2.50 to $27.50
Lunch Cases.....$3.50 to $24
Poker Sets.....$9 to $24
Manicure Cases .....$2 to $10
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BEANS NAVY Choice, recleaned grade. Very low price..... LIMA BEANS, per pound .....10c **4 Lbs. For 25c**

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OATS ROLLED New, high-grade goods; absolutely clean. More economical than package oats..... **6 Lbs. For 25c**

CREAMMEAL Finest Quality **3 Lbs. For 8c**

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COFFEE JEWEL—A splendid blend that is unequaled anywhere at this price. Pound..... **22c** FRENCH—A satisfying drink. Pound sealed package..... **35c**

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PURE LARD CLEAN WHITE Per Pound ... **17½c**

PEANUT BUTTER Bulk, tasty, flavory, per pound.. **20c**

JELLO This famous dessert can be had at Kroger's at 4c a package less than a few weeks ago. The lowest price in the city by far. Assorted flavors. Per package **10c**

MILK COMPOUND—NUTRO, tall cans ..... 3 for 25c Wilson's tall cans **13½c**

BUTTER COUNTRY CLUB The finest, sweet-tasting creamery butter churned. Low price, per pound print **55c**

DOMINO CANE SYRUP Another article that you should immediately take advantage of. Lay in a good supply at this price. 6c less than the former price. 18-ounce can..... **12c**

WALNUTS New 1920 crop, no old nuts. Soft-shelled, No. 1 Californias. Pound..... **32½c**
MIXED NUTS Perfect blend. Lb.. 27½c
BEANS Campbell's—Low price, can..... **12c**
Beans With Pork and Sauce—Country Club, can, 11c; Heinz Oven-Baked, can.....17c
KRAUT Bulk, lb., 8c; large 2-lb. net weight can..... 14c
HOMINY Lye—Healthful food. No. 2½ can. 12c
SWEET POTATOES Peeled, No. 3 can..... 20c
MINCEMEAT None Such—Pkg., 17c; Country Club—Pkg..... 14c

CHOCOLATES Kroger-made Assorted Chocolates, Chocolate Drops or Chips, Sour Balls, Butter Scotch or Assorted Kisses. Pound..... **35c**
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HEINZ' CATSUP, 8-oz. bot. 18c | CIDER VINEGAR, pint bottle..... 21c | SPAGHETTI, medium can 20c | BOTTLED PICKLES, per bottle 39c

Macaroni or Spaghetti Bulk; per lb..... **10c** NOODLES, per pound **13c**

Soap CRYSTAL WHITE 4 Bars for 25c | LENOX, 10 bars 37c | Star, P. & G. White | Naphtha, bar ...7c | Gold Dust Small Package, 6 for 25c

BANANAS Healthful fruit; per lb..... 8c | **ORANGES** 216 size sound, sweet, per doz..... 27c 176 size, per doz..... 35c

APPLES Newton Pippens, per lb..... 8c Winesap, per lb... 9c Northern Spy, very fine..... 5 lbs. for.... 25c | SWEET POTATOES Exceptionally fine; 5 lbs. for..... 18c

Lemons 360 size, per doz. ..... 12c | **Black Walnuts** 5 lbs. for .... 25c | **Popcorn** 2 lbs. for 15c

RUTABAGAS, sound; 5 lbs..... 10c | CABBAGE; sound heads; 5 lbs. for. 10c | **CELERY** Crisp stalks, each ..... 7½c Jumbo size, each 9c

GRAPE FRUIT 54 size, sound, juicy, each..... 9c 64 size; each 8c | ONIONS Sound, dry; 5 lbs. for..... 10c | COCOANUTS Fresh, at, each 10c

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$59.75 Coats & Coatees
$65.00 Coats & Coatees
$23

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Chuck or Arm **15c** | Top Round, lb.... 25c | Bottom Round, lb., 22c | Rump, per lb..... 15c

PIG'S FOOT SOUSE, Per Lb., 12½c

Minced Ham, Per Lb., 20c

BACON Sugar Cured, 4 to 6 lb. pieces, per lb.. **23c**

PIGS' Kidneys, lb. ..7c Snouts, lb. ..12c HEARTS, lb...10c FEET, lb....7½c LIVER, lb.....5c

Hickory-Smoked Sugar-Cured HAMS Half or whole, 10 to 12 lb. average, lb..... **25c**

SAUSAGES Link, Franks, Polish, Metts, Sausage Meat, per pound.... **19c**

Rib or Loin Pork Roast Cut from selected 6 to 8 pound loins; per lb.... **22½c**

Liver Sausage, Per Lb., 10c

FANCY Milk-Fed VEAL

Breast, Shoulder or Stew, per lb... **17½c** | Loin of Veal or Leg of Veal, lb. **33c**

U. S. INVESTIGATOR IN CITY TO ADVISE ON MILK PROBLEM

Ernest Kelly Says Ordinance Should Be Brief, Leaving Promulgation of Rules to Health Department.

FAVORS ADOPTION OF PERMIT SYSTEM

Thinks Regulation Can Be Made Safe Without Being So Stringent as to Curtail the Supply.

Changes in the ordinance regulating the milk supply in St. Louis which seem desirable to modernize it were outlined today to a Post-Dispatch reporter by Ernest Kelly, investigator of market milk for the Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture.

Kelly and his assistant, R. F. Smith, have come from Washington to appear tomorrow before the Citizens' Milk Committee at a meeting at 1:30 p. m. in the Vandervoort auditorium. The Citizens' Milk Committee is a recent association of 25 civic organizations to correct and thereafter guard the character of the milk being served to St. Louis households. Tomorrow's meeting will be the first of a series at which the various interests in the milk industry—producers, distributors and Federal, State and city regulatory bodies—will be asked to appear to present their views of what sort of a milk ordinance the city needs at this time. The committee will mold these views into an ordinance to be presented in January to the Board of Aldermen.

Milk Ordinance Outgrown.

"The St. Louis milk ordinance," Kelly said to the reporter, "while having many good provisions, is antequated and does not conform to recently developed knowledge on bacteria, sanitation and pasteurization. As cities outgrow their charters, so St. Louis has outgrown its milk ordinance.

"I think it is unwise to endeavor to amend the present ordinance, but would recommend the repeal of the present ordinance by a simple, brief ordinance that will be enforcible yet not surrendering ideals, the details of its operation being left to promulgations of regulations under it by the Department of Health or whoever may be charged with its enforcement. Regulations by such rules is more flexible and satisfactory that regulation under detailed specifications of an ordinance.

"I would suggest that the temperature requirement for pasteurization be raised from 140 degrees for 30 minutes, as in the present ordinance, to 145 degrees for 30 minutes. Experience has shown that all disease bacteria are not killed at 140 degrees of heat, while they may reasonably be presumed to have been killed by an addition of five degrees.

Permanent System Favored.

"I advocate also the creation of a permit system also whereby the city would be authorized to specify conditions under which milk could be shipped to distributers within it. This means a system of inspection on the producing farms in Illinois and the refusal of milk produced by unclean or otherwise improper methods. The ordinance could specify that producers refusing inspection by the city inspectors would be forbidden to ship their milk to St. Louis. Such provisions have been upheld by court decisions.

"I approve also a suggestion made by Director of Public Welfare Schmoll in a conference with him that any new ordinance should provide for the regulation of ice cream. He informs me that there is not now any regulation of ice cream, with the result that most made for sale here is manufactured from raw milk and cream. Raw milk and cream in ice cream hold the same dangers for general health as unpasteurized milk and cream do for direct consumption. Heat kills bacteria, freezing does not. The ordinance should forbid the making of ice cream from any but pasteurized cream and milk.

Should Be Reasonable.

"The present ordinance declares that no pasteurized milk containing more than 50,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter shall be offered for sale. In making any ordinance, one of the concerns should be that it be enforcible. I think that the limit of 50,000 bacteria could be raised to 100,000 without materially affecting the wholesomeness of the milk. I doubt if it is possible to obtain an adequate supply of raw milk capable of being reduced at all seasons by pasteurization within 50,000 bacteria. Any new ordinance must be an ordinance which will permit reasonably pure milk to be sold and not be so stringent as to seriously curtail the supply available."

Kelly said that his visit was not to impose any notions of the Department of Agriculture upon the city, but to give such information to city officials and the Citizens' Milk Committee as might be helpful in drafting an ordinance which would insure for the city safe, clean milk.

Life Term for Youth.

By the Associated Press.

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 9.—Life imprisonment was the sentence passed upon 16-year-old Samuel Blevens, formerly of Little Rock, Ark., in court here yesterday, after the lad had pleaded guilty to a charge of murder. Young Blevens was accused of having killed C. F. Grandstaff, a Baltimore & Ohio railroad car inspector, in a shack near this city, Oct. 18, last.

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Make tomorrow's dinner a real feast with a tempting Lord Baltimore Layer Cake for the dessert.

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Great Sale of Boys' Suits

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Rarely has $5 bought such exceptional value in a Boys' Suit. Comparison will verify this statement decisively.

Well tailored Norfolk Coats with full cut, full lined knickers. Neat dark pattern fabrics. Ages 7 to 17.

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The most remarkable bargains of years. $6 has seldom bought such high quality and good looks. Button-to-neck style, for youngsters 1½ to 8.....

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Boys' Knickers

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Guaranteed double texture rainproof outfits. Sizes 4 to 16. Gray and tan. All seams fully strapped and cemented.

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On Special Sale, Only

Eton-Norfolk style for little fellows 2 to 7. Choice in green, blue and brown washable corduroy..... $4.95

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Boys' Sweaters

At the Very Low Price of

Solid colors and popular heather shade. Much wanted slip-on style. Sizes 26 to 34. $2.55

Flannelette Blouses

A sale of well-made, full cut Blouses at a price representing emphatic savings. *(Three for $3.75.)* $1.29

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Boys' Hockey Caps

Knitted Skating Caps in combination colors—for boys, girls and the smaller tots. 49c

Boys' 4-in-Hands

Open end and tubular Ties; worth decidedly more money. 37c

Boys' Windsor Ties

Splendid values in plaids, polka dots and solid shades. 23c

Regular $5.50

Soldier Suits

$1.50

Good quality khaki Suits with leather "Sam Browne" belts. A corking gift for children of 4 to 10 years of age.

Friday Bargains for Men

75c Cassimere Sox.....45c
$3.50 White and Fancy Pajamas.....$2.95
$5 to $6 Cloth Hats.....$3.85
75c Heavy Natural Wool Sox.....39c
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Values to $29.75

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Fur-trimmed and self-trimmed regulation and novelty Coats, of

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Velour
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Polo Cloth
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Mixtures

All Plush Coats *at Price Reductions of* 40% to 80%

200 TRIMMED HATS

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Doctor Files Suit for Divorce.

Dr. Jesse M. Threadgill of 6334 Bartmer avenue, St. Louis County, today filed a suit in Clayton for a divorce from Nina F. Threadgill of 18 North Taylor avenue. They were married Aug. 26, 1897, and separated Oct. 28 last. The petition alleges that Mrs. Threadgill was quarrelsome and extravagant.

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OFFICERS OF ITALIAN CRAFT REPORTED ATTACKED BY CREW

Abandoned in Boat Which Lands at Fiume Where D'Annunzio Releases Them, London Hears.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Officers of the Italian submarine chaser No. 68-PN were treacherously attacked, bound and gagged by their crew and then placed in a boat which took them into the harbor of Fiume, says a Milan dispatch to the London Times, describing the desertion of the vessel from the blockading fleet along the Dalmatian coast. When the boat landed, it was met my Capt. Gabriele D'Annunzio, who gave the men a cordial reception and made an address in which he denounced as a traitor Admiral Millo, in command of Italian naval forces in the Adriatic.

His address was greeted by cheers and shouts of "Let us go to Spalato: let us go to Rome." The chaser was then boarded by D'Annunzio, who ordered that the officers be released, if they wished to return to their fleet and report the incident. Assertion is made that their protestations of loyalty to the Italian Government were received with contempt, but they were allowed to leave by train.

130 Yellow Fever Deaths in 10 Days.

By the Associated Press.

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 9.—Yellow fever caused 130 deaths in Tampico, Mexico, during the last 10 days of November, according to a certificate from the American Consul there, which was brought here by officers of the Munson line steamer Muniala. No new cases were reported the first week in December, the certificate added.

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—*Velvet*
—*Panne*
—*Combinations of Fur and Brocade*

$5

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This sale lot comprises very near all of our finest velvet, panne and combinations of fur and brocade. Excellent models in black, brown and navy and other odd shades. We would advise early selection, as this is the lowest cut that will be made on these Hats. Values are exceptional.

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Shoe Sale

To clear our stock before inventory we have taken all broken lines and bunched them at one price. 1000 pairs of high and low Shoes, regular $7.00 and $8.00 values, at

$2.95

—*Spat Pumps*
—*Strap Pumps*
—*Ties*
—*Oxfords*
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JUST 2 DAYS LEFT to SECURE

40% DISCOUNT ON GIGANTIC STOCK of QUALITY FURNITURE

FRIDAY! SATURDAY! the final days of this momentous value giving occasion and our determination to make these last two days bigger than when this event started, prompts us to make even deeper reductions. Due to limited space, but few of the many items offered are mentioned in this advertisement. To those who have furniture needs to supply, as well as those who are contemplating giving furniture for Christmas, we say in all earnestness: "Come! you'll actually be amazed with the values that await you here Friday and Saturday."

$225 Quarter-Sawed Oak **Dining-Room Suite $135**

As illustrated; this genuine quarter-sawed oak buffet, dining table and china closet in full Colonial design; beautifully finished in a rich golden oak. A real $225 value at.....

$350 DINING-ROOM SUITE Anniversary Sale price... **$210**
$425 DINING-ROOM SUITE Anniversary Sale price... **$265**

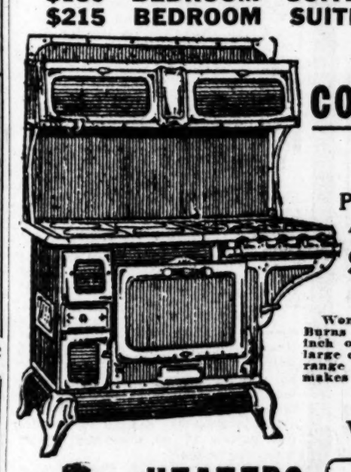
$300 9-Piece Queen Anne **Dining-Room Suite $180**

Queen Anne Period Dining-Room Suite, made of genuine solid oak, can be had in either Jacobean or walnut finish. Suite consists of 9 pieces, which are buffet, with or without mirror back, china closet, dining room table and 6 chairs. Anniversary Sale price.....

$350 Bow-End Queen Anne **Bedroom Suite $198**

This newest, up-to-the-minute period Bedroom Suite is composed of bow-end full double bed, large dresser and chiffonette and can be had in either a rich walnut or mahogany. Dressing table priced extra. Anniversary Sale price of Suite (excluding dressing table) is.....

$150 BEDROOM SUITE Anniversary Sale price..... **$90**
$215 BEDROOM SUITE Anniversary Sale price... **$129**



This Splendid **COMBINATION RANGE** Priced During Our Anniversary Sale **$97.50**

Wonderful cooker and baker. Burns both gas and coal, has 18-inch oven, 4 giant gas burners, 4 large coal holes. You can buy this range on our club plan, which makes paying very easy.

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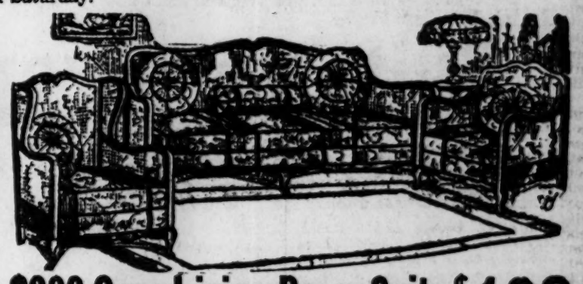

$300 Cane Living-Room Suite $180

This magnificent Cane Living-Room Suite comes in beautiful velour coverings. Suite consists of long Davenport, wing fireside Chair and Armchair. It is a real $300 value and is priced in our Anniversary Sale at.....

$375 Cane Living-Room Suite Anniversary Sale price.. **$225**
$425 Cane Living-Room Suite Anniversary Sale price.. **$265**

$300 OVERSTUFFED SUITE $180

This luxurious, roomy 3-piece overstuffed Living-Room Suite has full spring edge and all Marshall loose-cushion spring construction. Your last opportunity to buy this Suite at our special Anniversary Sale price of.....

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$450 OVERSTUFFED SUITE Anniversary Sale price... **$270**

$165 DAVENETTE SUITE $88.50

This massive 3-piece Davenette Suite is an elegant Suite, in rich genuine mahogany. Suite consists of divan, which opens into a full-size all-steel bed, and armchair and arm rocker. Priced special in our Anniversary Sale at.....

$300 DAVENETTE SUITE Anniversary Sale price..... **$180**
$350 DAVENETTE SUITE Anniversary Sale price..... **$210**

HAVE A SAROLA

In Your Home Christmas Morn.

$95.00

Can buy the renowned Sarola Phonograph during our Anniversary Sale. Could any gift be more appropriate or bring as much joy and happiness as this famous instrument? Pay $5.00 cash and the Sarola will be in your home Christmas morn. Drop in and hear our handsome, wonderful tone $95.00 Sarola.

HEATERS

$25 Heater, Anniversary Sale price, **$15.00**
$37.50 Heater, Anniversary Sale price, **$22.50**
$49 Heater, Anniversary Sale price, **$29.40**

CEDAR CHESTS

$22 Cedar Chest..... $13.20
$27.50 Cedar Chest, as illustrated. $16.50
$36 Cedar Chest. $21.60

40% DISCOUNT ON BRASS BEDS

$32 Brass Bed. Anniversary Sale price **$27.00**
$73.50 Brass Bed. Anniversary Sale Price **$37.20**
$45 Brass Bed. Anniversary Sale Price **$44.10**

DINING TABLES

No. 1 No. 2 No. 3

As illustrated (No. 1); $35.00 solid oak Extension Dining Table. Anniversary Sale price is... **$19.80**
As illustrated (No. 2); $45.00 solid oak Extension Dining Table. Anniversary Sale price is... **$24.90**
As illustrated (No. 3); $65.00 large quarter-sawed oak Extension Dining Table. Anniversary Sale price **$35.25**
$74 massive 54-inch Table. Anniversary Sale price..... **$44.40**

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Wholesale price $35— sale price	$16.75
Wholesale price $40— sale price	$19.75
Wholesale price $50— sale price	$24.75
Wholesale price $70— sale price	$35.00
Wholesale price $90— sale price	$45.00
Wholesale price $100— sale price	$50.00

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Wholesale price $3.75— sale price	$1.50
Wholesale price $5.00— sale price	$2.50
Wholesale price $7.50— sale price	$3.50
Wholesale price $10.50— sale price	$4.50

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Children's Sweaters; all sizes	$1.25
Baby Sweater, Cap and Leggins, complete	$1.50

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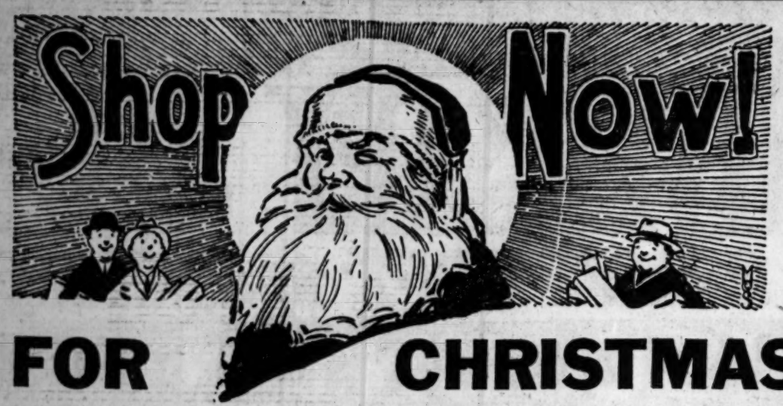

FOR CHRISTMAS
21 Friday Bargains

Reconstruction and readjustment demand thrift and economy. You can do your share by buying Christmas gifts that are practical and useful—and you can save from 40% to 50% by buying them here Friday.

Suits and Overcoats
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN—SAVE ALMOST ONE-HALF!

$30 and $35 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
Suits of tweeds and Scotches, ideally suited for young fellows wearing their first long trousers. Overcoats made of heavy materials in the season's newest styles and patterns. Sizes for men and young men,
$16.50

$40 and $45 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
Men and young men will find in this lot of Suits and Overcoats a range of styles, sizes and patterns so complete and up to date that making the proper selection will be a decided pleasure.
$22.50

$50 and $55 SUITS AND OVERCOATS
Suits and Overcoats made of all-wool materials, in the styles so very popular this season. All are hand-tailored throughout and are lined and finished with silk. Sizes for men and young men.
$27.50

Men's Tan Gabardines
Made of genuine tan gabardine and fashioned with yokes, and pleat backs and with belts all around. Each garment bears the registered cravenette trade mark.
$27.50

Men's Extra Heavy Suits
Made of extra heavy materials, in neat colors, and all are fully lined. Just the thing for men who work out of doors. Special at
$13.50

Special Lot of Men's O'Coats
A special lot of Men's Overcoats—odds and ends from higher-priced lines—made of good quality materials. While limited quantity lasts,
$6.95

Men's Tan Gabardines
Made of finest tan gabardine and finished with silk yoke and sleeve lININGS. Popular belted models in the pleated-back style.
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MEN'S HEAVY $12 MACKINAWS
Big, wind-defying Mackinaws, made of heavy mackinaw cloth, in neat checks, plaids and overplaids. Have large shawl collars, patch pockets and full belts. Just the thing for men who work outdoors or for sport wear. An ideal Christmas present...
$8.66

Men's Work Pants
Heavy, durable Work Pants, made of dark colored worsteds and all are strongly sewed; come in all sizes from 28 to 44...
$2.75

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All-wool blue serge Pants, made in styles for men and young men; all are superbly tailored and come in sizes from 28 to 44.....
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All-wool flannels, cassimeres, cheviots, blue serge and fancy suitings in all sizes from 28 to 50; styles for men and young men.....
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Made of heavy, dark materials in popular ulsterette models and finished with large convertible collars. Just the thing your boy will want for Christmas. Special, Friday at.....
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Special Lot of Boys' Suits
Sizes 10 to 18
A special lot of Boys' Suits—values up to $10—made of excellent cheviots in popular styles. Sizes from 10 to 18 years—mostly over 12. Quantity limited—only one Suit to a customer.....
$5.00

Boys' $12 Mackinaws
Heavy-winter-weight Mackinaws in attractively colored checks and plaids. Made in double breasted styles, fashioned with belts and convertible collars. Sizes 8 to 16.....
$6.88

All-Wool Serge Suits
All-wool blue serge Suits—splendid for dress wear. Coats are belted and fashioned with yokes and inverted pleat backs. All sizes from 7 to 17 years.....
$8.95

Chinchilla Overcoats
Splendidly-made Chinchilla Overcoats for little fellows. Come in blue, brown and gray in the favored belted models. Button close to the neck. sizes from 3 to 6.....
$6.88

Boys' Two-Pants Suits
Made of heavy dark, mixed materials in the popular belted models and both pair of knickers are fully lined. Come in all sizes from 7 to 18 years.....
$8.33

$5.00 Overcoats
Heavy materials, in blue and brown shades and neatly lined; sizes from 2½ to 8.
$2.88

Boys' Slicker Raincoats
Black Rubber Slickers, made with cemented seams; sizes from 6 to 16 years. (Hats to match, 60c)
$4.48

Boys' Knickers
Dark mixed cassimeres in all sizes from 6 to 17 years; special at,
96c

Boys' Knickers
Neat cassimeres and drab colored Corduroys, in sizes from 6 to 17 years
$1.33

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DECREASE IN SUICIDE RATE HERE IS SHOWN

Self Destruction Has Fallen Off in U. S. Since Entrance Into War, Insurance Article States.

Suicide records compiled from 100 American cities for the past 20 years, show that, since the entrance of the United States into the war, the suicide rate has decreased, the lowest figures being reached in 1919, according to an article entitled "The Suicide Record of 1919," by Frederick L. Hoffman, printed in The Spectator, an insurance journal published at New York City. There were 3818 suicides in the 100 representative cities, and the rate per 100,000 population was 14.2 in 1919.

It is stated in the article that on the basis of the latest available data the number of suicides in the continental United States for 1920 may be conservatively estimated at not less than 12,000.

The suicide rate increased from 15.4 per 100,000 population in 1900 to a maximum of 21.7 in 1908, a rate which has not been reached subsequent to that date, although rates approaching the maximum figure prevailed in 1909, 1911 and the first two years of the war, 1914 and 1915.

Record by States.

A table of unusual interest in the article is a record of suicides according to states, which shows that the smallest number of suicides was in the Southern States, while the largest number was in cities along the Pacific Coast. The largest suicide rate for 1919 was in San Francisco, where the rate per 100,000 population was 33.9.

Another table shows that in a period from 1914 to 1918, 59,272 men and 12,626 women ended their lives. More men committed suicide with firearms than by any other method, while poisoning was the principal method of women. The suicide rate among women due to poisoning approached closely the corresponding rate for men.

The article states "that there is another peculiar method of suicide apparently on the increase, and that is by jumping from tall buildings with the obvious risk of death to passing pedestrians on the streets below."

An instance of this form of suicide cited in the article was that of an actor who jumped from the seventeenth floor of a building, leaving a note behind headed, "How one feels just before death by jumping from the seventeenth story of a building."

St. Louis Figures.

The suicide rate in St. Louis, one of the cities included in the survey, is shown to have decreased from 22.4 per 100,000 population in 1900, to 18.7 in 1919. The lowest rate of suicides were was in 1918, while in 1914 and 1915 the number was highest.

The article points out that the annual list includes college professors, clergymen, physicians and lawyers. Suicide of children are not so frequent in America as in European countries.

Several instances pointed out tend to show that suicides are becoming more brutal in "their utter disregard of all human instincts of love and affection," one instance being that of a man who killed himself after shooting his wife in the back while kissing her good-by.

In regard to causes of suicides, the article says: "The growing number of instances of cases in which ill health is attributed as one of the predisposing causes should arouse the attention of experts in mental diseases. The capacity to endure pain and the willingness to suffer is seemingly diminishing, while the complacent view is gaining ground that death ends all, and that life is not worth living unless lived pleasantly and agreeably."

Illness directly contributory to suicide cases, influenza was apparently an important factor in the mortality of 1918, the article adds.

BESSIE CLIFFORD, DANCER, SAYS WOMAN THREW LIQUID ON HER

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Miss Bessie Clifford, the American dancer, appeared as complainant against Mrs. Hettie Kinsler in a police court Tuesday. The American actress declared that she was dining in the Carlton grill when Mrs. Kinsler approached in the most threatening manner.

"Crying, 'I'll have your life!' she drew a bottle from her pocket and threw its contents over me," said Miss Clifford, with emotion. "The horrid stuff burned my dress. This lady has the idea that her husband is paying me too much attention That is perfectly absurd—I would not permit it, as everyone knows who knows me."

Miss Clifford said, further, that when she was leaving her home, not long ago, she encountered Mrs. Kinsler.

"She behaved in a way that caused everyone to stop and look at me, which, of course, was extremely objectionable to me."

The Judge bound over Mrs. Kinsler to keep the peace. Miss Clifford has appeared in various performances here, the most notable, perhaps, the London opera house revue, "Come Over Here."

RICH WIDOW WEDS CHAUFFEUR

Woman With $50,000 Income Marries Man She Adopted as Nephew.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Frederick Thompson Adams, wealthy widow of a leading banker of this city, two weeks ago became the bride of her chauffeur, Patrick O'Rourke, at her home at Highland, N. Y., just across the Hudson River from Poughkeepsie, it became known last night. The ceremony was performed by Harold Lent, Justice of the Peace at Highland. Mr. and Mrs. O'Rourke are already on their way to California for their honeymoon.

When Adams, a Commodore of the Atlantic Yacht Club and of the Larchmont Club, died, in 1900, he left to his widow an income of about $50,000 a year. Several years ago she adopted O'Rourke, who had been in her employment some time, and made him her nephew. As Maude Witherbee of Scarborough, Mass., she was married to Adams in 1886. O'Rourke is several years her junior.

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH DAILY MAGAZINE

The usual four-page Magazine Section is printed today as a cover to the enclosed Part Two. The Magazine Section and Part Two can be easily separated by those who desire to read them separately.

President-elect Harding as he appeared upon his arrival at Newport News, Va., last Saturday.
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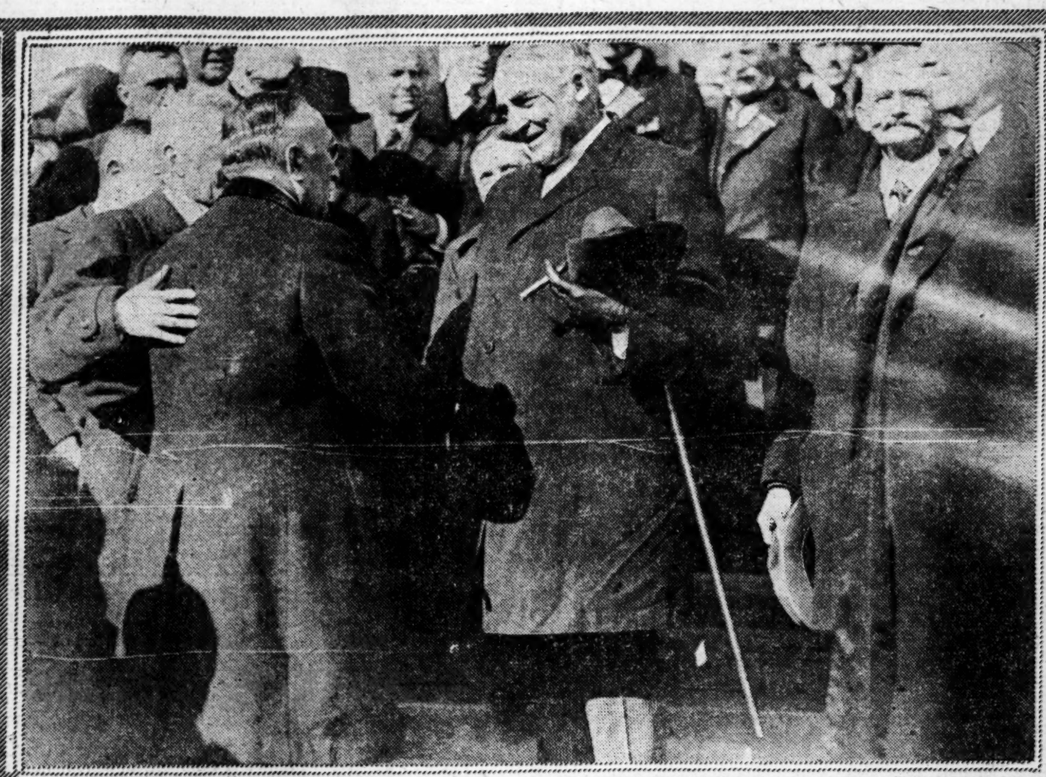

Senator Harding greeting members of the Elks at the National Home Lodge, B. P. O. E., Bedford, Va., during his visit last week to that place.
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Mrs. Warren G. Harding (right), wife of the President-elect, and Mrs. R. B. Creager in flying togs at the Naval Air Station, Panama, where Mrs. Harding made her first air flight.
—International.

President Paul Hymans of the League of Nations Assembly, on the balcony of the League Headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland. He serves as chairman at meetings of the body.
—International

Chairman Reinhard of the Constitutional Assembly of the new free state of Dantzig, who will hold the title of "general superintendent" of Dantzig.
—International.

Girl hockey players of Bryn Mawr (in dark skirts) in their recent hockey match with the All-Philadelphia team, which was won by Bryn Mawr, 6 to 5. The game is becoming popular at Eastern women's colleges.
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Mr and Mrs Herbert Hoover, photographed in Boston, where Hoover, as chairman of the consolidated relief commissions, opened the $23,000,000 campaign to aid the undernourished children of Central and Eastern Europe.
—International

Miss Mary Bartelm of the Juvenile Court in Chicago, who is being urged for a seat on the Circuit Court by members of the Women's Bar Association, to serve out unexpired term of Judge Robert E. Crowe
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Members of the Women's Knickerbocker Club of Washington, D. C., an organization designed to make "knickers" the regulation sport costume for women as well as men. From left to right, Mrs. R. E. Varlson, Mrs. C. H. Warner, Mrs. G. T. Cunningham and Mrs. J. R. De Farges
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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Ethics of True Sportsmanship.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

An editorial in a local newspaper bearing upon the State park purchase plan made (seemingly) slurring reference to "nature conservationists." Can it be possible that the editor is yet unaware of the complete change of sentiment in recent years as regards conservation and wild life protection? Men like Hornaday, Hough, Seton-Thompson, Burroughs, Wallace, Alexander, Bennett and Barber, as well as scores of others whose magazine articles continually come to our notice, are very largely responsible for this noticeable change in public sentiment. No better evidence of this can be had than the following excerpt from an address delivered before the Martin County Game, Fish and Bird Protective League at Fairmount, Minn., by Sam G. Anderson Jr.:

"Anything that awakens in a man's heart a love and understanding of nature makes him a happier and more wholesome individual. Anything that makes a man a better sportsman makes him a better man.

"We who have tramped the stubbles in autumn, stood guard on the duck passes 'midst the biting winds of coming winter, who have trod the trails of the northwoods in November's chill, all know the delightful fellowships and friendships that nature gives its devotees. No warmer attachments are created than along the trout streams or on the lakes where bass and pike and crappie lure the angler. And so when such men unite for action and attract others to their company, it makes for fellowship and understanding; for harmony and tolerance. If in all our relations in life we practiced the chivalry and manliness, the spirit of unselfishness and mutual service that exists in the camp and on the field and trail, what a true brotherhood we would enjoy!

"Our only hope of preserving the wild life is by such organizations as yours. Laws are worthless without the support of public sentiment. An ounce of sentiment is worth a ton of statutes, and your organization and ours and many like them, all over the State, are proceeding along rational and practical lines. The old-time organizations did more harm than good. In fact they were all harm and no good. The old-time sportsmen's organizations were not composed of real sportsmen. As I look back to the old-time attitude I wonder we have any wild life left, and I thank God that we came to a realization of our profligacy and butchery before the day of the automobile and the repeating and automatic shotguns.

"We are all learning these things, and while we are learning we are developing a new attitude toward our wild life, a higher standard of sportsmanship, a better code of ethics. The day's bag or string is no longer the test of the measure of success with gun or rod. The kill is but an incident, the limit never sought nor waste permitted."

At some time or other the "nature conservationists" of today will recall with real gratification the efforts made in behalf of conservation in its various forms for the benefit of the children of tomorrow. Can it be that some of us are not yet awake to a full realization of nature's call?

F. L. RAND.

A Holdup Victim.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I notice that our Chief of Police is endeavoring to clean up our city of thugs and robbers. I am one of their victims, being held up at 9 o'clock in the alley near Elm street, and I know how it feels to be held up, if they did not get much from me. I am a poor workingman and did not have much with me, but they choked me until I was nearly dead, and I am going to to be one to help our Chief in this movement.

CHAS. L. BRYAN.

For the Other Fellow.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

You are right; the majority of employers are intelligent, capable men. As such each knows that the paying of high wages is the proper thing—for all other employers to do. Yours truly.

AN EMPLOYER.

Political Bad Form.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Isn't it rather bad form on the part of Senator Harding and others to assume that he is President of the United States until March 4? The errand of Medill McCormick could hardly be considered in an official light. There seems to be no decency nor courtesy left among politicians, and private citizens sit by idly and permit their President to be insulted day after day and make no attempt to stop it.

Where is the manhood of the private citizens of America that they do not rise up and rebuke such a spirit?

MRS. G. S.

Write the Commission.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Let every gas consumer in the city of St. Louis write to the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City and protest against the increase in gas rates sought after by the Laclede Gas Co. They state that unless they get the rate applied for they will be insolvent. How long have the people got to put up with such pleas?

ONE WHO HAS WRITTEN.

MR. HOUSTON'S TAX PLAN.

Secretary Houston's recommendation for a distinction between income that is spent and income that is saved, with a lower tax rate on the latter, seems attractive.

A plan based on that of some foreign governments has been urged which would make a distinction between income earned and income derived from investments, with the higher rate on the latter. Mr. Houston's plan is more likely, from the theoretical viewpoint, to encourage economies, tend to amplified credit resources through larger bank deposits and stimulate the purchase of securities. Enforcement of the tax might be another matter. What facilities would special Treasury agents have for checking up on the amounts an income-tax payer said was saved and was spent?

The necessity for a continuance of very heavy Federal taxation for a long time to come is generally recognized and the public is more or less reconciled to burdensome rates. Some of the forms in which this heavy taxation would be levied, if the Secretary's suggestions are adopted, are certain, however, to cause a shock. He proposes an increase from 4 to 6 per cent in the tax paid by the unexempted portion of the first $5000 in income, that is, on the portion in excess of $2000 plus $200 for each dependent less than 18 years of age.

It is the consumers with $5000 or less upon whom the packers, the coal men, the shoe men, the manufacturers and dealers in great numbers of other necessaries, the swarm of middlemen generally, at present shift their own income taxes through increased prices for their products, plus their profits.

Tens of thousands to whom the increase will apply are debt-harassed men of large families and incomes less than $5000, to whom the problem of maintenance means continuous struggle.

Great numbers of this lowest of all classes of income-tax payers also bear a heavy State income tax. In Missouri, for instance, an income tax of 2 per cent must be paid with no greater exemptions than the Federal laws provide. Now it is proposed that 2 per cent be added to the Federal tax on such incomes, making 8 per cent in all to Federal and State Governments.

Along with this recommendation for a 33 1-3 increase on the first $5000 increment in incomes is a recommendation for a reduction in the rate paid by the very highest increments of large incomes—the incomes running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. The latter recommendation is dictated by very practical considerations in revenue-raising. The tax on the highest increments is now so heavy that it is said to tend to investment in tax-exempt securities, this reducing revenue receipts from that source.

But the Secretary presents nothing showing that that tendency would be decreased by lowering the tax. The rush to the tax-exempt securities market might be as great with a tax of approximately 50 per cent on higher increments as with a tax of approximately 70 per cent. The rush to that market of the $5000 class will probably create no difficult problem. After paying their income taxes they will have little left for tax-exempt investments, despite Mr. Houston's theoretical inducement for saving.

The entire increase in revenue from this tax and from a tax on gasoline and a license tax on automobiles is estimated at only $341,000,000, much less than the annual interest on the debt owed us by foreign governments, which interest has been remitted for three years. Though seldom referred to, this remission of interest should be considered when the enormous resources which America is generously diverting from domestic uses to foreign benefit are summed up.

The only important Federal taxes abolished are those on ice cream and excess profits, the one about as approved a source of revenue as the other, but Mr. Houston's scheme seems to present nothing for increased simplicity in Federal taxes. On the contrary his many new taxes, his increased taxes on corporate and individual incomes and other things, his doubled taxes on the simple amusements of the people seem to add vastly to the intricacies and complications of the Federal revenue system.

He recommends increased taxes, doubled taxes in some cases, on sales of motor vehicles except trucks, on musical instruments, on candy, on perfumes, even on medicines for the sick and unfortunate. It suggests whether a small tax on all sales might not be preferable to his jumbled list. Such a tax is objectionable in that it may be collected several times on the sale of the same article in its transit from producer to retailer. But it at least is easy to collect and makes for simplicity and lessened confusion.

The danger is that such a scheme as Mr. Houston proposes may cause a revulsion in favor of the Republicans' archaic tariff scheme as the lesser of two tax evils.

BRUCE CAMERON ALSO INNOCENT.

The case against Mr. McCulloch having been dismissed by Judge Patterson of Springfield on the ground that burglary is not burglary when referendum petitions are the subject of larceny, it was perhaps logical that the case involving the same charge against Bruce Cameron should be nolle-prossed.

However, ever since Sept. 7 the public has hoped that, for the credit of Missouri, some way might be found by which the extraordinary ruling might authoritatively be set aside, even if all the defendants were freed. After the maturer deliberation that has been possible for him, might not Judge Patterson have made a different ruling in the second case? If he adhered to his former decision, might he not have affirmed it in such a manner as make possible a review by the Supreme Court?

To the increased lustre of Missouri jurisprudence, the old ruling that the omission of the article "the" invalidates an indictment has been disavowed and repudiated, but it took 11 years to do it. Must the shadow of the astonishing Patterson ruling hang over our courts that long?

ELECTION REFORM PRINCIPLES.

In determining the reforms necessary to assure honest elections, the principles underlying elections should be kept in mind and the laws and practices should be brought into conformity with them.

The fundamental principle is the protection of the ballot box from all fraud or improper influences without regard to party or personal interest. The public interest in elections is paramount.

Hitherto the law has been manipulated for the purpose of giving party organizations, especially the dominant party organization, the advantage over the public.

The first necessity is to break the power of party committeemen in the control of primary or general elections through the selection of judges and clerks of election. The election commission should be required to appoint and organize a competent corps of judges and clerks from available material in any part of the city and retain them under probation.

The opportunity for registration should be open at all times under safeguards as to the identity, legality and voting status of registrants. A card index system in the Election Commissioners' office, with careful revision, is preferable to holding general registration days. The object of this plan is to offer every qualified voter an opportunity to register and vote, and to eliminate all fraud.

All elections should be brought under the general election laws with similar safeguards and penalties for fraud and improper or corrupt practices.

Proof of election by fraud should invalidate the election. The penalties of crime should be visited upon those responsible for it and its beneficiaries.

One of the principal labors of those who will frame the election laws should be their simplification. The election system should be simple, not complex, and the laws should be clear and direct.

Mr. Bryan, it will be remembered, wanted Mr. Wilson to resign, but Senator Norris thinks the President should be impeached. Is it the climate of Nebraska that makes them get that way?

ANOTHER LEAGUE ILLUSION PUNCTURED.

The Geneva conference has punctured another illusion which was served repeatedly during the late presidential campaign, and always with garnishings of bombast. "Shall the United States sit in a body with one vote where Great Britain has six?" was hurled at us by senatorial lips from a thousand stumps. Explanations that the British Empire's six votes were in the assembly whose jurisdiction was limited did not placate our chauvinists who were determined that we should have as many votes as any other country in any department of the League's organization, or we wouldn't play.

Well, it has transpired that Great Britain's crafty, diabolical six votes in the assembly do not, as a matter of fact, exist. To a program, proposed by England's delegates, for dealing with matters of finance, health and transportation, Canada has vehemently objected, and Australia stands with Canada.

"Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the sod in Europe is the price Canada has paid for European statesmanship," exclaimed Newton Wesley Rowell, the Canadian delegate, and Canada refuses further to follow blindly such leadership.

The incident amply proves that the free, independent dominions of the British Empire are not mere echoes of the central government. The jingoistic Kipling, even, sensed that fact long ago, with his "Daughter am I in my mother's house but mistress of my own." European or British domination of the League is a bogey which Canada has bowled over.

There is much friction as the new machinery is being put into operation. Many adjustments will have to be made, much sheer experimenting done, before it functions smoothly. But function smoothly it eventually will and when that condition is achieved the League of Nations will be a chartered institution for redressing the just grievances of every people.

President-elect Harding says he is willing to discuss the League of Nations with President Wilson. Despite a balmy, almost sultry, winter, the flaming hatreds of the war are cooling.

England is said to be agitated lest Lord Byron's ancestral halls be purchased by an American. Westward the course of empire and every other bloomin' thing takes its way.

EDITORIAL SPARKS.

Blue laws make white men see red.—New York Herald.

Kitchin would prove a good man to lead the lean and hungry Democrats.—Indianapolis Star.

Save your pennies and your heirs will take care of your dollars.—Burlington News.

The reluctant employers' slogan is now, Lay off, Macduff.—Boston Herald.

Our favorite musical instruments, Roger, are the horn of plenty and the trumpet of fame.—Boston Transcript.

More rioting in Bologna. That place seems to be in purp-etual uproar.—Chambersburg Public Opinion.

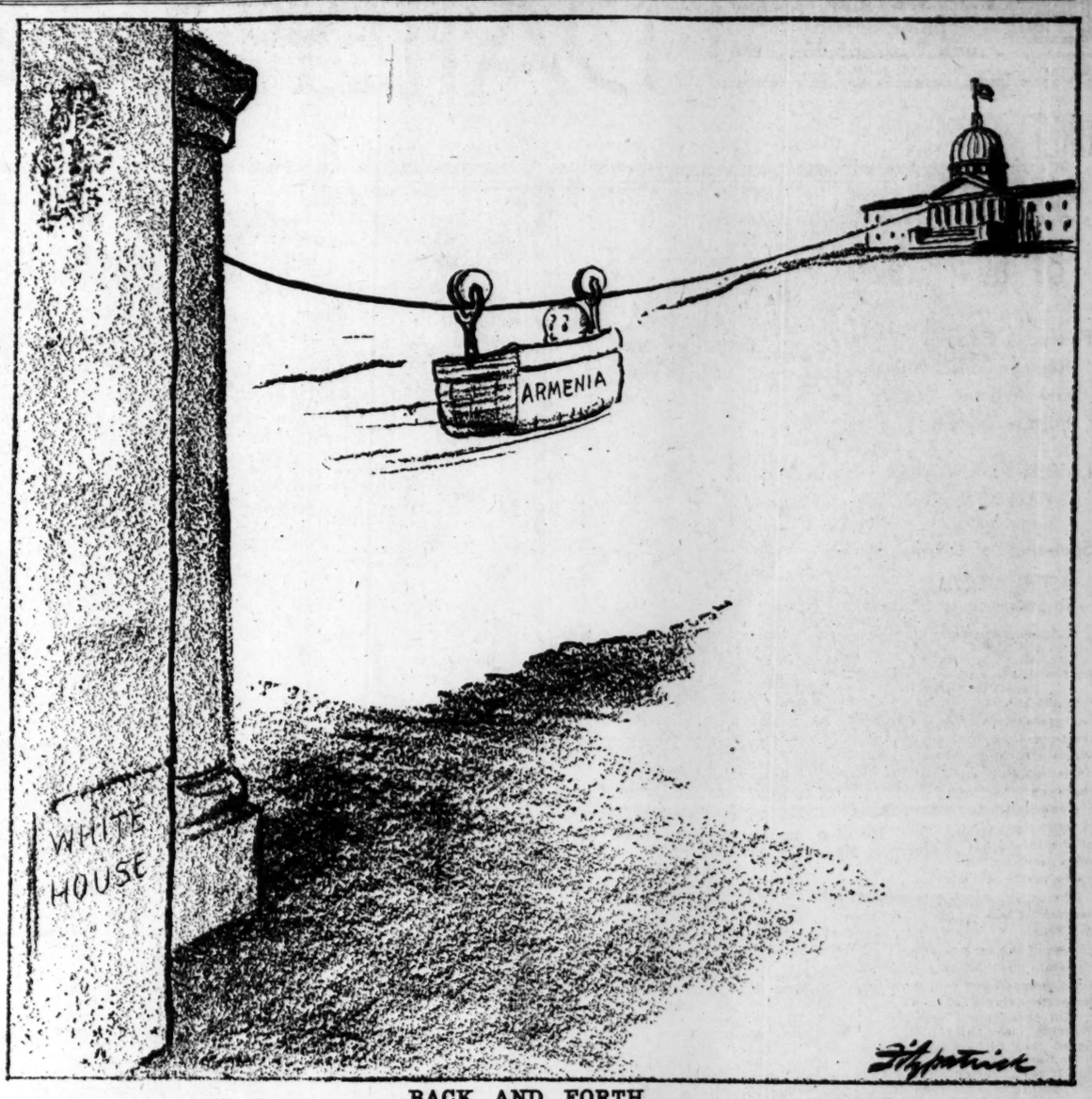
If epidemics follow the styles, you may look for an outbreak of kneemonia this winter.—Worcester Evening Post.

The worst thing about the income tax is paying last year's tax with this year's income.—Michigan State Journal.

Porter: Miss, your train is——. Precise Passenger: My man, why do you say your train, when you know it belongs to the railway company? Porter: Dunno, Miss; why do you say my man, when you know I belong to my old woman?—London Tid-Bits.

HOW MUCH LONGER?

—Galveston Daily News.



BACK AND FORTH.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

MR. ANTWINE'S OPINION.

"I CANNOT recall another time when I was so curious about Congress as I have been of late," Mr. Antwine said. "A great deal has been said about getting done things that need to be got done, and it seemed that a great sigh of relief went up when the Democrats were utterly relieved of every responsibility in the emergency. The Democrats, it was charged, were doing none of those things which everybody had in mind as needing so urgently to be done, and the average man's impression was that not a wheel would turn in the right direction until the Republicans took hold of the situation.

"Very well. The Democrats are out, or will be out very shortly. The Republicans, so to speak, are reconstructively in. What are the things they are going to do? I have never seen these things precisely stated. There appears to be a vagueness about them not quite consistent with the great determination to get them done. I notice that one Republican said the other day of the President's message that it had anticipated most of the Republican program of reconstruction, but I couldn't believe it. Certainly the Republicans have more of a reconstruction program than was outlined in the President's message. If they have not, the necessity for getting them in power so they could put their program over must have been exaggerated a little.

"We must not forget that the present Congress is a Republican Congress. We must also recall that it had power to put over a reconstruction program, barring possible disagreement with an opposition President not known to be unreasonable about any good thing coming over from the capitol. Not much was said in the recent campaign of the present Congress and its failure to do the things which everybody seemed to have in mind, and I often wondered about it. It seemed to me that the Republican Congress we already had and have had for two years ought to be related in some slight way to what was expected of the next Republican Congress, but no one mentioned it.

"You have probably guessed that I have a suspicion. That is correct. I suspect that the Republicans have no reconstruction program except in so far as it applies to the reconstruction of the party. Look the situation over carefully, and see if you cannot share that suspicion with me. The country feels that the Republicans are going to do great things for it, but I fear they are only going to do great things for the party. If I am wrong about that, kindly remind me some time after the next Congress has had its chance."

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The President is in a better humor than Senator Lodge. That is what we make of comparing their utterances. Maybe we have all been mistaken and there is no happiness in gratifying a grudge.

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Before we adopt Secretary Houston's suggestion and increase taxes on small incomes, would it not be a good idea to ascertain how many people with small incomes have been able to pay the income taxes we have now?

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Mr. Wilson said nothing about the League of Nations in his message to Congress. He seems to feel that the league is speaking for itself, which is the way we feel about it.

SIN—ICISM.

The altruist speaks of the women he has met; the average man speaks of the women who have met him. I am an average man.

The diplomat is the man who declares himself against cosmetics and then uses his feminine listener's powder puff on his nose.

In the presence of some men a woman's smile is more often the result of a beauty hint than of a desire to signify pleasure.

Woman claims superiority over man because she recognizes the frailty he displays in asking her to become his wife.

Wives are of two kinds: those who call attention to their husbands' faults in public and those who believe their husbands have no faults.

The height of futility is attempting to chide an enamored man.

The most blissful ignorance is that of a jealous man whose dancing partner smiles over his shoulder at her lover.

When a man expresses his dislike for an attractive woman, it's for one of two reasons: he either failed to impress her with his importance or he made a mess of breaking through her crowd of admirers.

Heaven: A man and a beautiful woman in a taxicab.

Hell: A man and two beautiful women in a taxicab.

PAUL ARTHUR YAWITZ.

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No. G7: What would Old King Coal say to this one near Sarah and Finney?

Coel Kindling.

Sign in an automobile yard on Finney:

Automobile for Sale; $75 Down.

Does the lowest bidder take it?
Sign on a boarding house:

Rumors Taken Here.

Maybe that is where Dame Rumor lives.

No. 6268907435: The following sign from Dupo, Ill., shows what can be done with the apostrophe if you know how to use it:

Dupo L'b'r & H'd'w' Co.

I make Dupo Lumber & Hardware Company out of it. What is your guess?

On a small door, Eighteenth street, near Chestnut:

The Door Is Open, Kick.

At Broadway and Chestnut:

Suits and O'Coats at Half Price.

Is that Celtic for overcoat?

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A DAY OF THE INDIAN SUMMER.

A DAY of golden beauty. Through the night
the hoar-frost gathered, o'er each leaf and spray
Weaving its filmy network; thin and bright,
And shimmering like silver in the ray
Of the soft sunny morning; turf and tree
Pranct in its delicate embroidery,
And every withered stump and mossy stone,
With gems incrusted and with seed pearl sown;
While in the hedge the frosted berries glow,
The scarlet holly and the purple sloe,
And all is gorgeous, fairy-like and frail
As the famed gardens of the Arabian tale.

How soft and still the autumnal landscape lies,
Calmly outspread beneath the smiling skies;
As if the earth, in prodigal array
Of gems and broidered robes kept holiday;
Her harvest yielded and her work all done,
Basking in beauty 'neath the autumn sun.

—SARAH HELEN WHITMAN.

The MIRROR *of* PUBLIC OPINION

WHY TAXES ARE HIGH.

From the Giles County (Tenn.) Record.

IT is no wonder that this country is troubled, tax-ridden and all around in a sorry mess. A half dozen salaried revenue officers go 100 miles to bust up a $20 outfit. A "special" revenue agent comes around to see about your privilege (as if you had any privilege) taxes. An auditor comes from Nashville, Memphis or Honolulu and "checks up" two officers at the courthouse and leaves the others for the County Court to look after. Another fellow "comes down the pike" in his sedan to see if the country merchant has six bottles of vaseline and if he has six United States stamps to put on 'em. An "alcohol and wine" man comes to the druggist to see if he is 14 names "short" on his registration. And another "narcotic man" comes along to see about the paregoric. And another one comes a few days later to "check up" on the morphine, opium, etc. And the one-horse country merchant gets a questionnaire about his stock of patent medicines that it would puzzle a Philadelphia (or Pulaski) lawyer to fill out. And so on ad infinitum, ad nauseum and ad nux vomica or any other darn thing you care to, but it is all so, and then some, and I repeat, in all sincerity, that it is no wonder that the "Guvment" gets cussed out 365 days (366 leap years) in the calendar year from Cape Cod to Kalamazoo, and from Tadamer in the Wilderness to Yuba Dam, Ariz.

WATTERSON ON JOURNALISM.

"MARSE HENRY" in Philadelphia Public Ledger.

SOMEONE complained recently that reporting appeared today to be a lost art. To this Col. Watterson emphatically takes exception, declaring the newspaper of the moment cannot be excelled in the matter of collecting and presenting news. "Where is there anything to compare with it?" he demanded. "Every morning at breakfast I read not only everything of importance that has happened in my own town, in my own State, in my own country, but throughout all the world. In what business field do they work faster and produce more substantial results than in the modern newspaper office? I was born next door to a print shop and grew up in a newspaper office. First and last, I have filled every newspaper function, from galley boy to leader writer. I am proud of my calling and jealous of its good name. No game like it in all the world. A high calling—no man can attain a higher sphere of usefulness—but withal good sport, life, adventure, color, travel, temperament and all that." Take it from "Marse" Henry, the best way into the editorial chair is by way of the local room. The best editors are those who have come up from the ranks of "cub" reporters sparring for "scoops."

AFFAIRS IN CHINA.

JOHN O. P. BLAND in Asia for November.

AND so, after eight years of the republic, China has come to a condition of affairs which causes most of her people to sigh for the comparatively honest days of the Empress Dowager. Neither of the so-called governments of the North and the South makes any attempt to govern. Education, which was to be the republic's first care, is now either completely neglected or left to the initiative of public-spirited scholars and local gentry. With the exception of the customs, post-office and salt revenues (collected under the supervision of foreigners), which form the security for China's foreign debts, the central Government draws little or no money from the provinces. As regards such internal matters as the administration of justice, regulation of trade, opium-growing and military equipment, each province goes its independent way, either asserting complete rights of autonomy or maintaining polite regulations with the capital, as each Governor may think fit. The Northern provinces, whose Governors support the nominal authority of Peking, in return for subsidies in cash, are to a certain extent united against the Southern Tuchuns; that is to say, they would join forces to prevent the Cantonese clique from ousting and replacing Tuan and his friends.

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URGES CONTINUED BARGE OPERATION BY GOVERNMENT

Federal Service Bureau Recommends Mississippi and Warrior Service Be Further Tried Out by U. S.

LATER TURN OVER TO PRIVATE INTERESTS

Spending of $400,000 for Terminal Construction and Improvements at East St. Louis Favored.

By the Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Continued operation by the Government of the barge lines on the Mississippi and Warrior Rivers, to the end that their money-making capacity shall be thoroughly demonstrated before they are relinquished to private interests, is recommended in the annual report of the Inland and Coastwise Waterways Service of the War Department, made public last night.

The report, which covers the fiscal year ended last June 30, is submitted by Frank T. Hines, who was in charge of the service, as a Brigadier-General, on that date. Hines has since resigned and been succeeded by Brigadier-General W. D. Connor.

"On the lower Mississippi and Warrior," says the report, "it is believed that the governmental functions have in no sense been completed. It seems certain from the record of operations on these waterways during almost two years that an organization has been completed which with the delivery of the newer types of equipment, will insure operations on a satisfactory financial basis.

Further Federal Development.

Further development of these lines by the Federal Government, however, will be required until such time as the more important elements of tariffs, terminal facilities and operations shall have been refined and co-ordinated and these sections actually found to be prosperous and going transportation lines. When such a point has been reached it is believed to be proper to relinquish the operation of these sections to private enterprise."

"The report states, however, that even after the lines pass into private hands, the Government should continue to give them direct assistance, with the object of maintaining equitable tariff and interchange agreements between the waterways and the railroads, devising proper types of waterway equipment, maintaining navigable channels, and developing adequate terminal facilities. In addition, it is stated, the Government should instigate the opening of new waterway routes as arteries of traffic under private enterprise.

Despite the joint rail and water rates which have been promulgated, the report says the Mississippi-Warrior service is still operating on a very restricted basis of co-operation with the rail lines.

Best Test Not Possible.

"Existing tariffs," it states, "do not make possible the best test of the use of the national waterways in actual co-ordination with the nation's Government-guaranteed rail lines. Present tariffs do, within a very restricted territory, make it possible for a shipper to start freight by rail, and have the transportation completed by water, or to begin by water and end by railroad. No shipper, however, is at present enabled to commence his transportation by rail, have it transferred en route to the barge service and finally have the transportation completed by rail."

Comprehensive applications, it is stated, have been filed with the railroads for the establishment of "rail-river-and-rail" rates on all the commodities which the Mississippi-Warrior service can handle, with the intention of bringing the whole matter before the Interstate Commerce Commission for adjustment if the attitude of the railroads is unfavorable.

The report sets forth the pressing need of more adequate terminals for the interchange of freight between the railroads and the barge lines. Until the proper provision is made for the handling of such freight, the reports says, it will be impossible to show entirely satisfactory returns either in service or earnings. For general terminal construction, and improvements on the Lower Mississippi, it is urged that $2,000,000 be provided, of which $400,000 would be spent at East St. Louis, $600,000 at Memphis, $600,000 at Vicksburg and $400,000 at New Orleans, as a loan to the dock board of that city.

Operations on the Lower Mississippi, it is pointed out, have thus far been with makeshift equipment only and are in no way representative of what can be done with modern towboats and barges, proper terminals and inclusive tariffs.

The revenues per ton of freight carried are said to have shown gratifying gains, the average earnings on southbound freight having increased from $2.81 per ton during 1918 to $4.53 for the first six months of 1920. Owing to poor equipment, however, the line had to desist from solicitation of high-grade merchandise for the upstream trip, and in consequence the average revenue per northbound ton showed a slight falling off. The report adds that with towboats on the line making the trip upstream in 12 to 14 days large quantities of these high-grade commodities can be secured.

The popular conception of a barge line as suitable only for the handling of coarse freights is disapproved, the report says, by the widely diversified character of the commodities tendered for transportation on the Mississippi. Each of the tows, it is stated, carries thousands of diverse packages of every description, the property of many consignees.

"Much of the expenditure," the report says, "has been necessary to maintain an ill-assorted fleet of overtaxed equipment in operation to maintain a regular service irrespective of results in revenue. There have, nevertheless, been material and not unsatisfactory revenues from the operation of the present makeshift fleet. They have in no case been sufficient to meet all the cost of operation as well as of the general supervision, and preparation for the ultimate operation; yet, these deficits, it is confidently believed, will be many times recouped by future operations of the line."

Six New Towboats.

The report indicates that the new era for the Mississippi barge line will begin with the completion of the six modern steel towboats which the Railroad Administration, when in charge of the line, ordered for its use.

"The new towboats," says the report, "will be of larger power, better applied, than any power units heretofore known on the Western rivers. They will be peculiarly adapted for towing in the deep river below Cairo. Their operation should show marked economies over any boat ever before operated on the Mississippi."

President's Letter Declining to Take Part in Armament Council

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.
By the Associated Press.

THE United States, not being a member of the League of Nations, cannot participate in the deliberations of the league council or of any commission acting under the council, President Wilson has decided in declining the council's invitation to appoint American representatives to sit on the council's commission on the reduction of armaments.

The President's decision was embodied in a communication sent yesterday by Acting Secretary of State Davis to Paul Hymans, president of the league council.

Sympathy, however, was expressed by the President "with any sincere effort to evolve a constructive plan for disarmament which is necessary for the economic rehabilitation, peace and stability of the world."

The communication sent to M. Hymans follows:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your cablegram of Dec. 1, inviting the Government of the United States to name representatives to sit with the military, naval and air commissions of the league in a consultative capacity during the discussions by the commission on the reduction of armaments, the consideration of which is to be undertaken by it forthwith at the request and on behalf of the council.

"The Government of the United States is most sympathetic with any sincere effort to evolve a constructive plan for disarmament which is so necessary for the economic rehabilitation, peace and stability of the world. The President of the United States is deeply interested in this question, and is most desirous of co-operating to this end, but as the Government of the United States is not a member of the league, he does not feel justified in appointing a commission to take even a de facto participation in the deliberations of the council or of the commission acting on behalf of the council in the execution of provisions in the covenant of the League of Nations."

WOMEN FOR SCHOOL BOARD PROPOSED

Wednesday Club Calls Convention to Plan Action for Representation.

A convention of women has been called by the Wednesday Club for next Monday at 3 p. m. in the Wednesday Club auditorium, 4506 Westminster place, to consider and outline concerted action toward obtaining the selection of women for members of the Board of Education.

Every organization of women in the city was invited in the call issued after the Wednesday Club meeting yesterday to send one delegate for each 50 members, or part thereof. It is expected that the meeting will select a number of women to be recommended to the Republican and Democratic conventions which will name candidates for the board. Four Republican members and one Democratic member of the board, which is constituted on a bipartisan basis, are to be elected in the spring.

George W. Strodtman, chairman of the Republican City Committee, said today, when told of the action of the Wednesday Club, that he believed that the women were entitled to equal representation with men on the Board of Education, and that he would urge the Republican convention to name women as two of its four candidates.

Two Republican women yesterday were given the approval of the Wednesday Club, Mrs. B. F. Bush, wife of the president of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co., and Mrs. George Bass, who was active in the work of the Food Administration here during the war.

The Wednesday Club, which has a membership of 550, named 10 delegates to the mass meeting Monday, as follows: Mrs. Henry Butler, Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd, Mrs. Ernest Kroeger, Mrs. Clay Jordan, Mrs. E. C. Rowse, Miss Nellie Richards, Mrs. Washington Fishel, Mrs. J. W. Bray, Mrs. Edgar Rombauer, Miss Bella Taussig, Miss Mildred McCluney.

WHY IMMIGRANTS QUIT EUROPE

Bolshevism and Depreciated Currency Chief Among Reasons Given.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Tracey M. Redding, member of the class of sociology at Columbia University, spent yesterday among the immigrants at Ellis Island to get information as to why they left Europe in such unprecedented numbers. The reasons for leaving Europe, as gleaned from the immigrants, he summarizes thus:

From Holland—Because of a dread of Bolshevism.

From Italy—Because of depreciated currency in pay envelopes.

From Spain—Labor troubles, Bolshevism and high cost of living.

From Portugal—Political disorders and depreciated currency.

From Poland—To escape radical conflicts and poverty.

From Ireland—Mostly young women seeking better employment and more tranquil lives with relatives here.

From Czecho-Slovakia—Because of a nausea for all things European since the war.

NEW RETURN RATE FOR UTILITIES

Public Service Commission Fixes It at 7½ Per Cent.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 9.—In fixing an electric rate for the Warrensburg Light, Heat and Power Co. yesterday the Public Service Commission established a new standard rate of return for utility corporations of 7½ per cent. Heretofore the commission has held that 7 per cent was a sufficient rate of return on invested capital.

The reason given for the increase is the present high rates of interest which corporations have to pay.

APPEAL MADE FOR $33,000,000 TO AID EUROPEAN CHILDREN

Request Is Signed by Herbert Hoover and Franklin K. Lane of Relief Council.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The European Relief Council recently organized by combination of eight American relief organizations, today issued an appeal to the American people to contribute $33,000,000 for food and medical supplies for the children of Eastern and Central Europe. This sum is requested by the council for feeding and caring for 3,500,000 children until the next harvest in September, 1921.

The appeal declared that economic and crop conditions in parts of Europe make famine with its terrible train of diseases, a certain visitor during the winter.

The appeal is signed by Herbert Hoover as chairman and Franklin K. Lane as treasurer.

Hawaii Had Prosperous Year.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Hawaii had an exceedingly prosperous year, largely as a result of the high price of sugar, Gov. C. J. McCarthy announced in his annual report made public here today. Savings banks deposits jumped tremendously with an increase of approximately 50 per cent, to $15,807,775. Federal internal revenue receipts of $11,927,545 were the largest in history, showing an increase of more than 100 per cent. Exports and imports exceeded those of any previous year by almost $30,000,000 with an aggregate of $108,063,451.

WATERWAYS NEEDED TO BUILD UP FOREIGN TRADE

Secretary of Commerce Alexander Says Centers Must Be Brought Nearer to the Sea.

TRANSPORTATION MUST BE CHEAPER

Relation of Inland Waterways to Merchant Marine Discussed Before Rivers Congress.

By the Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—American foreign trade will be seriously handicapped unless cheaper and more adequate means of transportation are provided to bring the great inland centers of industry nearer to the sea, Secretary of Commerce J. W. Alexander told the annual National Rivers and Harbors Congress yesterday in an address on the relation of the inland waterways to the merchant marine.

The great projects already undertaken for improving transportation both by rail and by water should be carried forward consistently and without unnecessary interruption, Secretary Alexander declared. It would be a short-sighted policy, he said, that would postpone the utilization of the Mississippi River and other navigable waterways. Special consideration should be given to waterway development, he asserted, by the states lying in the Mississippi Valley.

Points Out Absolute Need.

The country is confronted with an "absolute need," according to the Secretary, of reducing transportation costs to the lowest possible levels, in order that there may be free distribution of commodities from one community to another and from the interior to the sea coast.

Unless the present charges of transporting goods to the coast are reduced materially, he said, America will not be able to compete effectively with her rivals in the world's markets. The problem of getting cheaper rates, he continued, is an ever-present one, pressing for solution by the Chambers of Commerce and other trade organizations of the Mississippi Valley.

Though greater efficiency in the operation of the railroads was foreseen by the speaker, he said the "cold fact" remained that rates had been tremendously increased since July, 1914. It has even been claimed, he said, that at the present high levels the rates are not sufficient to pay 6 per cent interest on the capital investment.

Farm Products Affected.

To show how agricultural products have been effected he gave figures showing that export rates from St. Louis to New York, per 100 pounds, have increased on corn and wheat from 22 cents in September, 1914, to 45 cents at present, and on fresh meat from 50 cents to $1.03½. From St. Louis to San Francisco the increase on corn has been from 60 cents to 91½ cents; on wheat, from 75 to 91½ and on fresh meat from $2 to $3.33½.

The Secretary described in detail the operation of the Government barge lines on the Mississippi and Warrior Rivers.

"There is no reason to expect that rail rates can be lowered in the near future," he said, "and while it is no doubt true that the efficiency of the service is increasing since the return of the railroads to their owners for operation, yet they will not be able to meet the increasing demands made upon them.

"The farmers stand to lose billions of dollars by reason of the slump in the prices of farm products.

"There is great demand for our surplus cotton and foodstuffs. Not only is the lack of facilities to extend long-time credits of concern to the farmers, but, if such credits are provided, the price the farmer will receive for his products will be very seriously affected by the high costs of transportation.

"All will agree that if we would build up and maintain a great American merchant marine we must develop and foster a great foreign trade. The two go hand in hand. The Department of Commerce is deeply interested in both propositions, hence my concern as regards the transportation facilities of the Mississippi Valley, for there the situation seems to be most acute.

"The larger part of our surplus for export must come from this great region. The question is of vital interest not alone to that section, but to the whole country. Hence I am gratified to know that the great commercial, industrial and financial organizations affected are determined more than ever before to find an outlet to the sea, not only by the Mississippi River and its tributaries but by the Great Lakes as well."

KAHN SAYS HE HAS NO FEAR OF WAR WITH JAPAN

Chairman of House Military Committee Expresses Hope for Perpetual Peace Between Two Countries.

RESTATES BELIEF IN UNIVERSAL TRAINING

Asserts Sole Objection of People of Pacific Coast Is to Japanese Laboring Class and Not Racial Prejudice.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Discussing the Japanese question freely and frankly in a carefully prepared address delivered today in the House, Representative Kahn of California, chairman of the Military Committee, declared that America hoped always to avoid war, and that if "the statesmen, the publicists and the politicians, the agitators and the demagogues of Japan" really wanted war with the United States they would be the ones to bring it on, and not the Americans.

Kahn said he knew that he voiced "the earnest hope and wish of every patriotic American that peace between the two countries may continue perpetually." "But the world," said he, "has only recently learned that we are not too proud to fight, nor are we afraid to fight when we are forced into war."

Reaffirming Training Views.

The Military Committee chairman took occasion to reaffirm his belief that a universal military training policy would best safeguard the country, and added:

"I have no fear that there will be war between Japan and the United States in my lifetime, nor even the lifetime of my sons. And I am thoroughly satisfied that if my country remain measurably prepared there will be no difficulty between the two nations at any time."

Kahn briefly reviewed the history of the relations between the United States and Japan and with regard to the Japanese immigration problem on California, now the subject of treaty negotiations between the two Governments, said students of international law everywhere had recognized the "absolute right" of any nation to regulate immigration as it deemed best. Even Japanese students were familiar with universally accepted decisions on this point, he said, and added:

"It is therefore most unfortunate that a constant agitation regarding the matters is maintained by our neighbor across the Pacific, because the final effect of such propaganda and agitation undoubtedly is to install a pronounced hatred of America and Americans among the masses in Japan.

Unfortunate Condition.

"This is a decidedly unfortunate condition of affairs. Indeed, I say it is a most serious condition—a condition that may result, unfortunately, in grave difficulties between two heretofore friendly nations."

"Surely," Kahn said, "the head of the Peace Society of Japan does not advocate the taking up of arms against the United States as indicated in the newspaper articles."

The speaker said "many public officials in Japan," as well as political agitators, had "tried to make the world believe" that opposition to immigration of Japanese laborers into the United States was "based upon racial prejudice."

"We of the Pacific coast deny that this is the case," he declared. "No objection has ever been made to the admission into this country of Japanese professional men, of Japanese financiers, or Japanese religious teachers or leaders or bonafide Japanese merchants or Japanese students or Japanese travelers. The sole objection is to the laboring class.

"Whether the undesirables be farmer laborers, skilled mechanics or unskilled coolies, I contend that the objection is purely an economic one * * * Japan herself is doing to the laborers of China and Korea what she claims is racial hate or prejudice when done by us to Japanese laborers.

Quotes Count Okuma.

Kahn called attention to newspaper dispatches quoting Count Okuma, head of the Japanese Peace Society, as having said that if the United States restricted Japanese immigration by statute instead of by voluntary action of Japan, the latter rather than "suffer such prejudice to her prestige, must resort to force."

From his reading of Japanese history, Representative Kahn said, he was sometimes inclined to believe that "there are many more political agitators and demagogues on the other side of the Pacific than we can possibly find in our own country."

"Happily," he continued, "We in America are not worried into a frenzy of excitement by purely political happenings."

Kahn recalled the recent incident of Teintsin where American soldiers had been found in the Japanese police station by the American Counsel General wounded and beaten when "the Japanese officers denied any knowledge of their whereabouts." This incident, he declared, was in a fair way of amicable adjustment between the Governments, adding:

"The American people have never become excited over the affair. You hear no threat of war on the part of American statesmen, politicians or even demagogues."

Program of Japan.

Publicists and authors reported, the California representative said, that Japan was "making every effort to unite the yellow races. That Japan under such a program hopes and expects to be the leader of such a race amalgamation that she is striving in every way to acquire and maintain the hegemony of the yellow nations."

"Are the Japanese trying to bring about the world-old conflict between the white races and the yellow and the brown races?" asked Kahn. "I sincerely hope not. But it is a question which the statesmen of all liberty-loving, democratic nations and peoples will do well to study and bear constantly in mind."

"CABINET SYSTEM" OF STATE GOVERNMENT TO BE ORGANIZED

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9.—At a conference here yesterday of Arthur M. Hyde, Governor-elect, Hiram Lloyd, Lieutenant-Governor-elect, and Republican State leaders, an agreement was reached on a tentative legislative program for reorganization of the departments of State Government under control of the Governor through appointments.

A "cabinet system" of government is to be organized by the new administration with eight general departments under which is to be grouped all the present scattered departments. The head of each department is to be called a commissioner, directly responsible to the Governor for acts of the subsidiary department chiefs. Details of the reorganization plan remain yet to be formulated. Work is to begin immediately in preparation of bills to carry the plan into effect. If possible, the bills will be drawn and agreed on before the Legislature convenes next month. The reorganization plan is part of Hyde's preelection pledges. Every administrative activity of the State government is to be under one of these eight general subdivisions, with a commissioner in charge of each: Agriculture, penal institutions, State inspection, public welfare, education, finance, public works and budget.

A. C. McKibbin, director of publicity for the Republican State Committee here, explained the reorganization plan.

"The purpose mainly is to cut out lost motion and duplication, centralize responsibility and remove from the State payroll those appointed for political purposes and not for public service," he said. "The big reason behind the proposed reorganization, of course, is to reduce the number of State employes and to save the State money."

Object to German Speeches.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Dec. 9.—The American representative here has associated himself with the representatives of the Entente Governments in their protests against speeches made in the occupied territory by members of the German Government.

Former Kaiser Reported Living in High Style

Employs Six Cooks, 12 Charwomen and Other Servants to the Total of Approximately 50 at Doorn Castle.

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

DOORN, Holland, Nov. 23.—Revelations in the Prussian State Legislature at Berlin of the sums of money which the former German Emperor has been permitted to draw from Germany during the past two years, together with the announcement that the Dutch Government will tax him for an annual income of 1,300,000 guilders, have caused the burghers of Doorn to speculate as to what he does with all this money. (Nominally a guilder is worth 40 cents.)

From Germany the former Emperor is said to have drawn 1,000,000 guilders, equivalent at present rates of exchange to 11,138,000 German marks; also the proceeds of the sale of some of his property in the Wilhelmstrasse, said to be 40,000,000 marks. Besides all this income, the Prussian Government has contributed additionally to the furnishing of his new house at Doorn.

Lives in High Style.

For a long time William complained of being financially embarrassed. Now, however, according to the people of Doorn, he appears to be living in high style.

Not counting his marshal, Gen. von Gontard, and other members of his immediate suite, approximately 50 servants are now employed to keep up the house of Doorn. This does not include the workmen who are still engaged in various repairs about the house and grounds.

There are 24 charwomen, who are kept busy polishing the floors, brasswork, and otherwise keeping the castle up to the standard of old German cleanliness demanded by the former Empress, Augusta Victoria. They receive the equivalent of about a dollar a day. Ten of them live in the castle.

In all, William now employs six cooks, who include a chef and an assistant living at the castle and four women who come in to work by the day. There are also a number of gardeners and personal servants.

Estimates on Pay to Retinue.

To maintain this army of servants, whose average wages, the people of Doorn say, must be something more than a dollar a day, William pays in wages alone about $20,000 a year. Their upkeep costs him as much more and this does not include the high-salaried employes, like Gen. von Gontard, Capt. von Ilseman, the "court physician," and secretaries, who must cost the ex-Emperor about $20,000 more.

During his 18 months' stay at the Bentinck castle, at Amerongen, William lived at the rate of about $325 daily. In his own estate he is believed to be spending much more.

In addition to buying the House of Doorn, he has this year spent approximately $32,500 on a little hospital which he presented to the village of Amerongen.

TIME LIMIT ON DEBATE ON IMMIGRATION BILL

House Agrees on Four-Hour Discussion—Supporters Expect Passage Tomorrow.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—By almost unanimous vote the House late today restricted general debate on the Johnson immigration bill to four hours, and advocates of the measure, which would stop all immigration for two years, were hopeful of passing it tomorrow.

Opening debate on the immigration question, Representative Campbell, chairman of the Rules Committee, declared that unless "the floodgates are closed, the standard of living will be lowered, unemployment already estimated at 2,000,000 men, will run rampant and the wage scales will be destroyed."

Provisions of the immigration bill which comes up for debate today, are opposed as unnecessary, injurious to the public welfare and constituting a reversal of the "historic policy of the country" in a minority report of the Immigration Committee, signed by Representatives Siegel of New York and Sabath of Illinois.

The bill's proposal for a practical suspension of all immigration for a period of two years, the report declared, is unwarranted both as to present labor conditions in this country and the number of immigrants arriving. Whereas prior to 1914 the total immigration frequently exceeded 1,000,000 per year, it was pointed out, the total for the first 11 months of this year was only 840,000, with a total of 366,915 emigrants to balance against that figure.

Declaring the immigration figures and general conditions showed there was no occasion for the "extraordinary haste manifested" in the attempt to pass the bill, the report asserted there was no evidence to support the contention of the committee majority that a "state of unemployment exists, except sporadically or voluntarily." Estimates contained in the majority report that from two to eight million Europeans were seeking to emigrate to this country, were dismissed as "idle" and totally without supporting evidence.

Declaring "offensive allusions" were made in the majority report in its discussion of the question of Jewish immigration, the report added: "We would not refer to these allusions were it not for the fact that there has recently been conducted a secret and malicious propaganda designed to arouse prejudice against the Jews in various parts of the United States."

ONLY "KICKED BY WHITE MULE"

When a Belleville policeman responded to the excited call of a woman who stated that a man had been hit by an automobile on North Fifteenth street and was dying on the sidewalk, he found Samuel Engelage, a hodcarrier, sprawled out on the sidewalk.

"Were you hit by an auto?" inquired the patrolman.

"No, I was kicked by a white mule," said Engelage.

He was fined $10 and costs by a Justice on a plea of guilty. The authorities are after the man who sold him the whisky, following information given by Engelage.

I. C. C. WOULD PAY RAILROADS AT ONCE UNDER GUARANTY

Annual Report Says Immediate Turning Over of Money Is Vital in Order for Carriers to Serve Public

COMPTROLLER'S RULING IN WAY

Amendment of Transportation Act Recommended to Permit Payment and to Stop Bribing of Employes.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Immediate payment to the railroads of sums due them under the guaranty provisions of the transportation act, but withheld under the ruling of the Comptroller of the Treasury, was declared by the Interstate Commerce Commission in its annual report today to be "vital * * * in order that the carriers may properly serve the public." The commission recommended that Congress amend the railroad act to permit the release and payment to the roads of the money thus tied up.

Many of the roads are greatly handicapped because of their inability to collect the guaranty, the commission said. Although advances against the anticipated deficit were made in scores of instances, the report said, some of the roads made no application for aid prior to Sept. 1, and as a result they are estopped from claiming even a portion of moneys "justly due them" until the mechanical work of completing their audit for the entire guaranty period can be accomplished.

Ruling Holds Up Money.

The commission said that in most cases it could now determine "amounts or parts of amounts due the carriers," but that its certifications of these sums to the Treasury could not be honored by the Treasury since the Comptroller had ruled that such applications for advances must have been granted prior to Sept. 1. The commission believed it should be authorized to make "reasonable estimates" to alleviate the difficulties confronting many carriers in meeting operating expenses and fixed charges.

The year's rail operations have developed the need of several other changes in laws, the commission said. It urged Congress to amend the Interstate Commerce act to provide for the punishment of any person "offering or giving to an employe of a carrier subject to the act any money or thing of value with intent to influence his action or decision with respect to car service and also to provide for the punishment of the guilty employe."

Would Bar Wooden Coaches.

Appropriate legislation governing the transportation of explosives was asked for, as were changes in laws affecting the awarding of reparations for damages which, the commission held, should be a matter entirely for the adjudication of courts.

The menace of wooden passenger coaches was set forth as another subject for legislative action, the commission urging that the roads be compelled to use steel cars in all passenger train service and prohibited from using wooden cars between or in front of steel coaches.

Referring to the question of bribery of railroad employes, the commission said:

"As a result of the inadequacy of the car supply and of railroad transportation facilities generally during the past year, a practice has grown up among shippers of bribing operating employes of railroad companies in order to obtain transportation services. The demoralizing effects of this practice are far-reaching. Bribery of this character in many instances cannot be directly and effectively reached under existing laws."

6495 Killed by Trains.

While the traffic has increased, the commission's figures show, the net operating income has suffered a continuous decline since 1917. The commission attributed this to heavier maintenance costs in which war taxation figured. Incomplete statistics, however, made it impossible for the commission to offer accurate comparison between the years 1917 and 1920, and it made no attempt to estimate the figures for any portion of the year.

The commission's accident table discloses that 6495 persons were killed by trains or in train service accidents during the year of 1919. Of these, 1784, or more than 27 per cent, met death in grade-crossing accidents.

Aviator, Veteran of War, Killed.

By the Associated Press.

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Dec. 9.—Capt. Roy L. Noggle, formerly of Honolulu, was killed at March Field, near here, yesterday, when his army airplane fell 400 feet. He was a veteran of the world war.

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YOUTH, ARRESTED AFTER MURDER OF DRUGGIST, FREED

Grand Jury Finds No Evidence on Which to Indict Clarence Dunsford in Laumann Case.

The first degree murder charge against Clarence Dunsford, 22 years old, of 2760 Caroline street, was dismissed at the request of Assistant Circuit Attorney Feehan in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday when Dunsford was arraigned for a preliminary hearing.

Dunsford, in an information issued Oct. 7, last, was charged with shooting and killing William Laumann in an effort to rob Laumann's drug store, 2101 South Jefferson avenue, Sept. 24 last. The grand jury Tuesday took up the case, and after hearing several witnesses decided that there was no evidence on which to indict Dunsford.

The slayer of Laumann also shot Laumann's 10-year-old son, Francis, who has recovered and who was taken to the Circuit Attorney's office several days ago to view Dunsford, whom he failed to identify as the slayer.

After Dunsford's arrest several persons who were near the drug store when the shooting occurred said Dunsford "looked like" a man who ran from the drug store, but none could positively identify him. He denied the shooting and said he was at home when it occurred.

In December, 1918, Dunsford and Steve Koehler were arrested on a charge of holding up Patton W. Teel, a Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. collector, and stealing $1400 from him. Koehler was convicted and sentenced to serve 15 years. Dunsford pleaded guilty and appeared as a witness against Koehler. He was sentenced to two years in the Boonville Reformatory and was paroled last December.

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There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

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If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head and ear noises or are growing hard of hearing go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength) and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

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MONKEY GLAND GRAFTED INTO NECK OF "DUNGEON GIRL"

Physicians Hopeful of Success in Effort to Alleviate Arrested Development of Girl, 19.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Surgeons who grafted the thyroid gland of a monkey into the neck of Mary Zembek, 19-year-old "dungeon girl," refused today to predict success for their endeavor to alleviate her arrested development, but said they were strongly hopeful. The girl was hidden by her parents at Joliet, Ill., in a cellar from babyhood until a few months ago, and had the body and mentality of a child of 4 years, physicians declared, when she was found.

The operation was performed by Dr. Max Thorek, head of the American Hospital; Dr. Sigismund Krumhols of Northwestern University and Dr. Alfred Klein of Joliet.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

December 3, 1920.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, A vacancy exists in the office of State Senator of the Thirty-second Senatorial District, City of St. Louis, Mo., caused by the resignation of Hon. Conway Elder, and

WHEREAS, On November 29, 1920, at the City of Jefferson, in the State of Missouri, the Hon. Frederick D. Gardner, Governor of Missouri, issued his Writ of Election to supply such vacancy, and directed and commanded the undersigned Sheriff of the City of St. Louis to give at least ten days' notice, according to law, and cause an election to be held on Saturday, the 18th day of December, 1920, at the usual places of holding elections in the said Thirty-second Senatorial District of the City of St. Louis, for the election of State Senator from said Thirty-second District, to fill the vacancy aforesaid.

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance to the direction contained in said Writ and in compliance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, the undersigned Sheriff of the City of St. Louis, and the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of St. Louis, hereby proclaim that an election will be held on Saturday, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1920, at the usual places of holding elections in the said Thirty-second Senatorial District in the City of St. Louis, for the election of State Senator from said Thirty-second Senatorial District to fill the vacancy aforesaid, and that said places of holding said election on said day will be as follows, to-wit:

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WARD 13.

Precinct
27—3608 Cleveland Av.
28—2201 S. Grand Av.
29—3801 Russell Av.
30—1645 S. Grand Av.
31—1546 S. Spring Av.
32—3060 McRee Av.
33—3005 De Tonty St.
34—4000 Shaw Av.
35—2211 S. Thirty-ninth St.
36—3904 Shenandoah Av.
37—4066 Shenandoah Av.
38—4067 Shenandoah Av.
39—4102 Shenandoah Av.
40—2013 Thurman Bl.
41—1816 Klemm St.

WARD 14.

Precinct
18—3025 Shenandoah Av.
19—1801 Michigan Av.
20—1915 Virginia Av.

WARD 16.

Precinct
1—841 S. Jefferson Av.
2—2720 Clark Av.
3—2948 Scott Av.
4—3117 Clark Av.
5—3317 Market St.
6—3423 Clark Av.
7—202 S. Theresa Av.
9—1416 S. Cardinal Av.
10—3138 Park Av.
11—1628 S. Grand Av.
12—3454 Park Av.
13—3505 Caroline Av.
14—1005 S. Compton Av.
15—3720 Chouteau Av.
16—3702 Market St.
17—3900 Park Av.

WARD 17.

Precinct
1—3333 Olive St.
2—2233 Franklin Av.
3—2645 Washington Av.
4—432-35 N. Jefferson Av.
5—2614 Market St.
6—108 S. Leffingwell Av.
7—2801 Clark Av.
8—2738 Olive St.
9—2800 Locust St.
10—2144 Washington Av.
11—3028 Olive St.
12—123 N. Ewing Av.
13—3139 Lawton Av.
14—103 N. Channing Av.
15—3857 Locust St.
16—3840 Delmar Av.
17—555 N. Spring Av.
18—3510 Olive St.
19—206 N. Grand Av.
20—21 N. Channing Av.
21—3715 Laclede Av.

WARD 23.

Precinct
1—4341 Manchester Av.
2—1004 Tower Grove Av.
3—4155 Manchester Av.
4—4054 Manchester Av.
5—4061 Chouteau Av.
6—607 S. Sarah St.
7—13 N. Sarah St.
8—4066 Lindell Bl.
9—Marquette School.
10—4050 Olive St.
11—4129 Olive St.
12—910 N. Sarah St.
13—3907 West Belle Pl.
14—1125 N. Vandeventer Av.
15—4900 W. Finney Av.
16—913 N. Sarah St.
17—912 Pendleton Av.
18—4253 Olive St.
19—4212 Olive St.
20—5 N. Boyle Av.
21—461 N. Boyle Av.

WARD 24.

Precinct
7—2450 Tower Grove Av.
8—4220 Russell Av.
9—1907 Klemm St.
10—1532 Tower Grove Av.
11—4255 Hunt Av.
12—4371 Hunt Av.

WARD 25.

Precinct
1—4300 Manchester Av.
2—4401 Manchester Av.
3—1074 S. Taylor Av.
4—1008 S. Taylor Av.
5—4500 Clayton Av.
6—4338 Clayton Av.
7—7 S. Newstead Av.
8—4584 Laclede Av.
9—302 N. King's Highway.
10—314 N. [illegible] Av.
11—Eugene Field School.
12—4632 Delmar Bl.
13—4484 Enright Av.
14—4348 Finney Av.
15—4501 Enright Av.
16—1207 N. Taylor Av.
17—4608 Page Av.
18—1558 Bayard Av.
19—4800 Delmar Av.
20—600 N. King's Highway.
21—4943 Delmar Av.
22—4970 Page Av.
23—5000 Page Av.

WARD 28.

Precinct
1—Ueons Hotel, S. W. Cor. King's Highway and Waterman.
2—5023-29 Delmar Av.
3—820 Clarendon Av.
4—930 Academy Av.
5—1144 Union Bl.
6—5063 Delmar Av.
7—5311 Pershing Av.
8—422 De Ballivieres Av.
9—5577 Delmar Bl.
10—1158 Union Bl.
11—5568 Page Av.
12—5609 Julian Av.
13—5676 Fitzel Av.
14—5535 Suburban Tracks.
15—5701 Delmar Av.
16—886 De Ballivieres Av.
17—885 De Ballivieres Av.
18—5809 Delmar Av.
19—5807 Suburban Tracks.
20—5608 Maple Av.
21—5901 Delmar Av.
22—307 Laurel Av.
23—5848 Waterman Av.
24—Washington Pharmacy, 288 Skinker Rd.
25—6102 Delmar Av.

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Remnants of fancy Dress Plaids and solid and striped Ginghams and Cheviots.

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Remnants of soft fine 36-inch wide fine Nainsook and Batiste for women's underwear.

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3 O'clock Special
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SLIPOVER models in good quality batiste or muslin. They are shown in a large variety of styles, tailored or embroidery trimmed.

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They are made of good wash satins, in dainty colors; lace trimmed.

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In this lot are crepe de chine or wash satins, lace trimmed, in Filet designs, adorned with touches of hand embroidery.

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Women's and Children's Double Mittens, in black and colors, at *59c pair*

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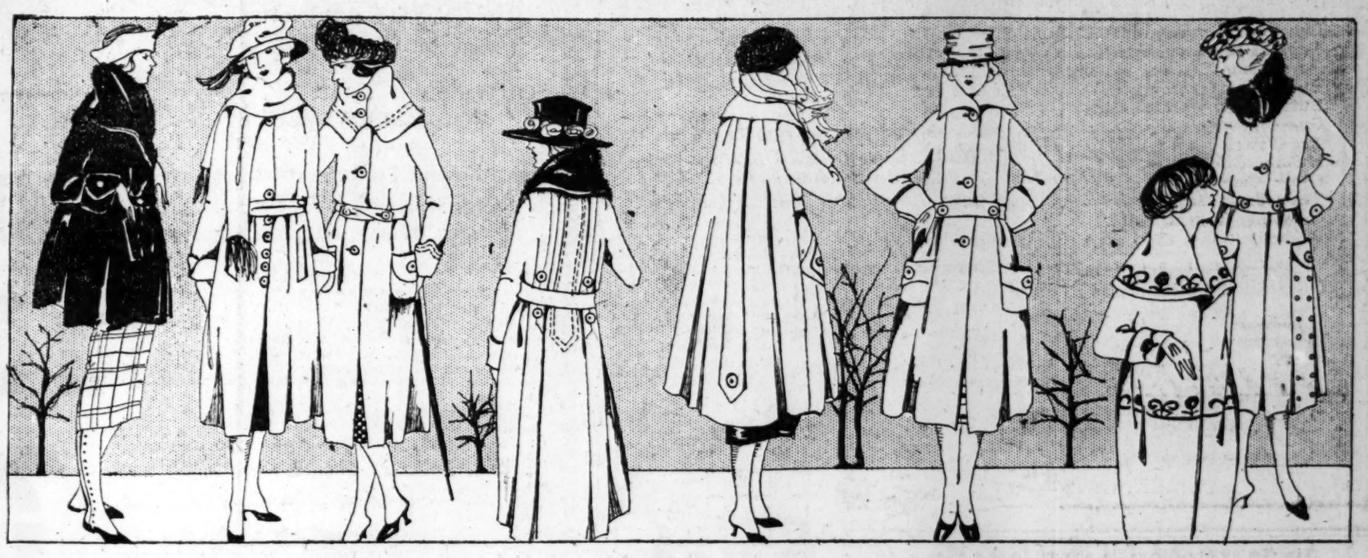

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Short lengths of double faced Drapery Terry Cloth; many pieces in this lot match. We advise early shopping on these as there is a limited quantity.

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Opaque Window Shades; perfect; mounted on good spring rollers; size 36x72 inches; white only; complete with fittings.

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Fancy drawnwork borders and hemstitched borders included in this special lot. Cut from full bolts and perfect. White, cream and ecru.

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Choice, $3.98 and $4.98

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Women's Full Fashioned Mercerized Lisle Stockings in black and brown; double spliced heel, sole and toe; slight seconds, at *69c pair*

Women's Lisle Stockings; samples and seconds, in black, white and gray; semi-fashioned; doubly spliced; *3 pairs, $1.10,* or *38c pair*

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At $5.29

WOMEN'S Blanket Robes of Beacon cloth; variety of styles; silk ribbon and satin trimmed; patch pockets and large fancy collars. Sizes 36 to 44.

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Exclusive Confections
Seventh and Olive Sts.

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Would You Be Thoroughly Modern?
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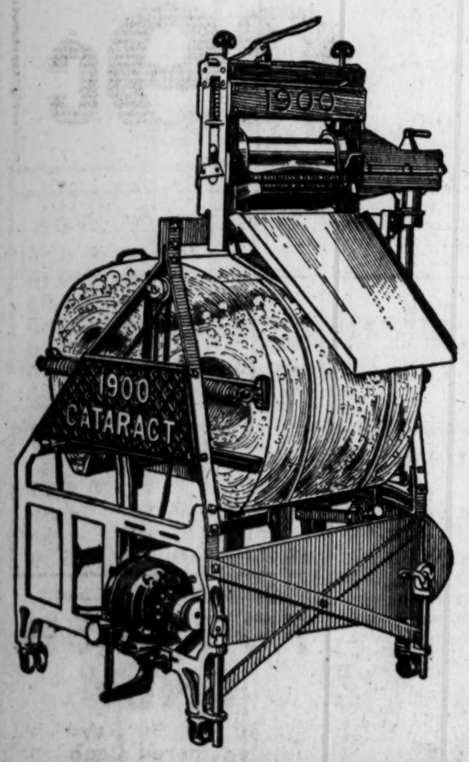
"1900" Cataract Electric
Washing Machine

MANY people pride themselves upon being up to the minute in all things. Yet frequently there is some one habit of bygone days which they blindly follow.

Laundry methods are most often the ones not brought up to date. To be sure, many people are seeing the wisdom of electric washers in the home, but the keenest acceptance of modern ways comes in having that electric machine, a



"1900" Cataract Washer

Its very simple construction is built upon the principle that to turn out fresh, clean clothes with their delicate fabrics uninjured, all that is *really* needed is the gentle action of water streaming through and through the pores of the fabrics, thus carrying out the dirt.

And since most women are not inclined to things mechanical, it is a delight to realize that the 1900 Cataract Washing Machine has no inside machinery of any kind.

The reservoir swings and dips and sets up the figure "8" current of soapy water, which is all that is necessary for the complete cleansing of the clothes.

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SMITH WOULD DEMAND BILLION FOR WATERWAYS

St. Louisan Tells Rivers and Harbors Gathering Time Has Come to Get Behind a Comprehensive Program.

OUTLINES A PLAN FOR IMPROVEMENT

Says Federal Congress Must Adopt a Project and Give Enough Money to Complete It.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—A demand that the Rivers and Harbors Congress abandon its 16-year-old stated purpose of developing sentiment for the use of inland waterways and substitute a stated purpose of obtaining from Congress an appropriation of $1,000,000,000, to be expended under a national waterways commission in 10 years on the trunk waterways of the nation, was made today before the Congress by one of its vice presidents, James E. Smith of St. Louis.

The Rivers and Harbors Congress always has clung close to its slogan, "A Policy, Not a Project." Smith declared that the congress accomplished its declared aim five years ago and since has been marking time and failing to capitalize the sentiment it has created.

"The time now has come when we must adopt a sane, definite and comprehensive program for the future," Smith declared. "Congress must not be permitted to go along in its past unbusinesslike method of dumping a few millions into a river and then neglecting it until floods and time have wiped away the work done with those millions. Congress must now adopt a project and give enough money to complete that project as a continuing work. It has dumped $82,000,000 into the Ohio River and yet there is no channel in the Ohio to Cairo of sufficient depth and dependability to be the basis of any freight-moving operation.

Record of 50 Years.

"The same inexcusable and wasteful methods have been followed on the Mississippi, with the same deplorable and costly results. It is a disgraceful fact that, notwithstanding the millions of dollars that have been spent upon our inland waterways during the last 50 years as a result of the slip-shod and aimless way in which the work has been carried on, there is not today a single completed waterway project in the entire territory lying between the Allegheny and Rocky Mountains.

"The Esch-Cummins bill handed out to the railroads over $634,000,000 for the purpose of permitting the existing railroad system of the country to function properly. In addition it granted freight rate increases which will amount to $1,700,000,000 a year. The expenditure of these billions will not add a single mile to our existing transportation facilities. Our rivers offer the only immediate way in which the transportation facilities of the country can be extended to meet the increasing demands upon them. The people of the Mississippi Valley are preparing to press with vigor upon their Congressmen their determination that Congress shall give to the rivers the money necessary for their adequate development in a large, comprehensive way. We must throw off our inertia of the last few years and become a live, vigorous organization once more.

Six Suggestions Made.

I, therefore, suggest:

"1. That our association now make a demand upon the Congress for the adoption of a definite, comprehensive plan for the permanent improvement of all of the navigable waterways of our country which have already been approved by the United States engineers, or which may be approved by them and added to the proposed projects for early completion, the work on all such projects to be carried on upon the plan of continuous work, to the end that they may be completed and put into use in the shortest time possible.

"2. That the projects included in the general plan for improvement be taken up in the order of their importance, first attention to be given to the main rivers, which may be regarded as trunk line channels of a general national system of water highways, and that the work on these main lines be pushed as rapidly as possible so as to secure their completion and use as soon as possible.

"3. That as soon as the so-called

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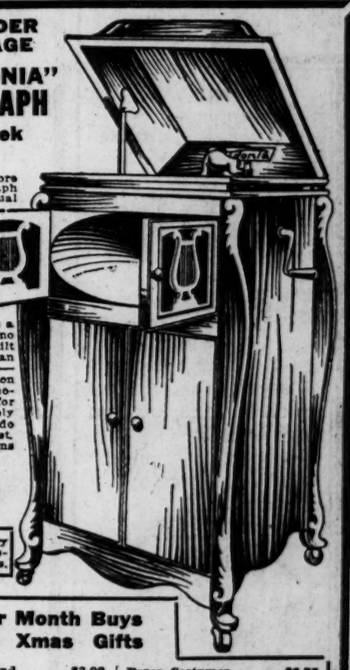

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(Exactly as here shown.) By means of our wonderful Club Plan, wherein we sell a great number of these Sets, we are enabled to offer the most wonderful Aluminum Cooking Outfit ever assembled. Worth considerably more than we ask for it. We call special attention to the large pieces this Set comprises. No Set has ever been assembled like it. Each piece is big and useful—nothing cheap and undersized. Made of best guaranteed pure "QUALITY BRAND" aluminum. Do not overlook this wonderful opportunity, the chance of a lifetime. ON SPECIAL SALE..... **$19.75**

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A small investment in a fine Cedar Chest will save you many dollars' worth of clothes. Made of the finest Tennessee red cedar, heavily bound with brass strips, held with heavy brass nails. An ornament to any room, in addition to being useful. An ideal Xmas gift. Price..... **$22.75**

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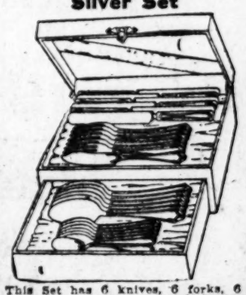
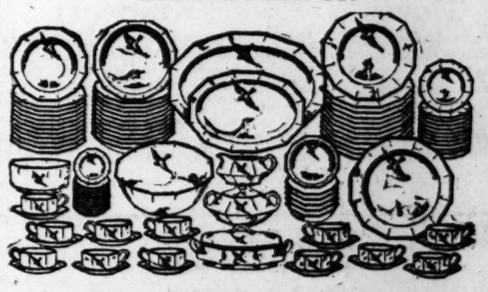
$1 PER MONTH BUYS A Wm. Rogers & Son Silver Set



This Set has 6 knives, 6 forks, 6 teaspoons, 6 tablespoons, 1 butter knife and 1 sugar shell. All complete, Set..... **$16.75**

$1 Per Month Buys This Martha Washington Blue Bird Dinner Set



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Rear Admiral McCowan Resigns.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Rear Admiral Samuel J. McCowan has resigned as Paymaster-General and chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts of the Navy and has retired from active duty. His resignation has been accepted by President Wilson, to take effect Dec. 31. The Admiral retired under the 30-year clause affecting bureau chiefs, passed by Congress last year.

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SALOON KEEPER ORDERED HELD FOR DEATH OF NEGRO

Coroner's Jury Action in Case of Clifford Perkins, Found Dead Near Place.

A Coroner's jury today held for the grand jury Dowell Gross, 29 years old, owner of a saloon at 3200 Franklin avenue, for the killing, Tuesday night, in the saloon, of Clifford Perkins, 34, a negro, who was found dead on the sidewalk half a block away.

The bartender and porter testified at the inquest that Perkins entered and ordered a drink, using offensive language. Gross called him into a rear room, in which a moment later two shots were fired, the witnesses said. Perkins ran out, and Gross emerged soon afterward, with a revolver in his hand, according to the testimony. Gross is under bond.

Wages in Building Trades Cut.

ROCHESTER, Minn., Dec. 9.—Master builders of this city have announced a reduction in wages of from 10 to 22½ cents an hour for all lines they employ. Bricklayers are reduced from $1.12½ to $1 an hour, and plasterers, electricians, plumbers and lathers from $1.12½ to 90 cents an hour. Twelve hundred men are affected. The builders declared costs of building materials are going down.

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'trunk line' channels are completed, the accumulated plant and equipment which will have been previously in use in the improvement of the larger channels be then put into service in carrying on the work upon the improvement of the branch line 'feeders' of the main lines, which will include all rivers that traverse the productive areas of the country, and in which areas increased facilities for transportation and distribution are required to promptly and economically handle the products which the inhabitants of these areas produce or consume.

"4. That in the prosecution of the proposed plan of creating and establishing a national waterway system of transportation, the plan adopted should provide for the completion of the entire system within the period of 10 years, and earlier, if possible, to the end that the great problem of transportation which is at present a menace to our future growth and development may be satisfactorily and permanently solved.

"5. That provision be made for the creation of a special waterway commission that will be separate and distinct from all other governmental departments—similar to the Panama Canal Commission—which shall have complete jurisdiction over all inland waterways with full legal authority—

"To employ the necessary working force needed to carry on the proposed work;

"To enter into contracts for the work to be done:

"To determine the order in which the different projects shall be completed;

"And to have entire supervision over all operations connected with the undertaking until it has been entirely completed.

"6. That an appropriation of $1,000,000,000 be made by the present Congress for the purpose of carrying on the suggested plan, the amounts to be expended over a period of 10 years, to be furnished as needed, to pay for the work as it is completed."

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Each set includes a cracker and 6 picks. Regular 45c value at..... 25c

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A 26-piece chest, consisting of six knives, six forks, six teaspoons, six tablespoons, one butter knife and one sugar spoon, guaranteed 10 years; regular price $17.00..... $12.45

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Were $ 33.50; now...	$15.85
Were $ 41.00; now...	22.25
Were $ 48.50; now...	28.00
Were $ 55.00; now...	33.25
Were $ 64.75; now...	37.50
Were $ 78.00; now...	43.25
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Were $110.00; now...	62.40
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Were $ 9.50; now....	5.35
Were $12.85; now....	6.15
Were $16.00; now....	9.25
Were $21.00; now....	13.15
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Axminster Rugs; were $ 78.00; now	44.50
Axminster Rugs; were $ 85.00; now	49.95
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Axminster Rugs; were $ 98.50; now	59.25
Axminster Rugs; were $110.00; now	64.00
Velvet Rugs; were $ 28.25; now	16.00
Velvet Rugs; were $ 34.75; now	19.95
Velvet Rugs; were $ 41.25; now	24.75
Velvet Rugs; were $ 47.50; now	29.00
Velvet Rugs; were $ 58.00; now	36.25
Congoleum Rugs; 9x12; were $24; now	14.95
Velvet Rugs; were $ 93.50; now	$69.25
Velvet Rugs; were $ 98.75; now	72.00
Velvet Rugs; were $110.50; now	79.35
Brussels Rugs; were $24.50; now	13.25
Brussels Rugs; were $29.00; now	16.65
Brussels Rugs; were $33.50; now	21.35
Brussels Rugs; were $39.75; now	26.50
Brussels Rugs; were $48.00; now	30.75
Brussels Rugs; were $55.50; now	36.45
Brussels Rugs; were $62.00; now	40.85
Brussels Rugs; were $73.50; now	51.95
Fiber Rugs; were $19.50; now	8.95
Fiber Rugs; were $23.75; now	11.95
Fiber Rugs; were $27.50; now	15.25
Grass Rugs; were $14.85; now	5.95
Grass Rugs; were $24.00; now	11.65
Linoleum; was $1.65 yard; now	99c
Linoleum; was $1.85 yard; now	1.05
Linoleum; was $1.95 yard; now	1.15

Go-Carts

Were $14.00; now.....	$ 6.10
Were $18.50; now....	9.95
Were $23.75; now....	12.45
Were $29.50; now....	16.25
Were $33.25; now....	19.85
Were $37.85; now....	22.25

Rockers

Were $ 3.25; now..	$1.65
Were $ 4.10; now..	2.15
Were $ 5.00; now..	3.10
Were $ 6.25; now..	3.95
Were $ 7.55; now..	4.85
Were $ 9.35; now..	5.75
Were $12.25; now..	6.95
Were $14.85; now..	8.10

Chairs

Were $1.95; now.....	98c
Were $2.20; now.....	$1.15
Were $2.45; now.....	1.35
Were $2.65; now.....	1.55
Were $2.90; now.....	1.65
Were $3.35; now.....	2.05
Were $3.95; now.....	2.35
Were $4.65; now.....	2.70

Buffets

Were $ 33.00; now	$13.95
Were $ 39.00; now	19.80
Were $ 46.00; now	24.75
Were $ 59.00; now	34.00

Gas Stoves

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Were $29.00; now.....	$14.35
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Were $38.25; now.....	19.40
Were $44.00; now.....	23.85
Were $54.50; now.....	29.95
Were $62.00; now.....	34.85
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Were $ 74.00; now....	41.25
Were $ 85.00; now....	54.00
Were $ 93.00; now....	60.50
Were $ 99.50; now....	64.85

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Were $ 98.50; now....	53.25
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CONDUCTORS SAID TO ADMIT PLAN TO DEFRAUD U. R.

Alleged Scheme to Use Spurious Tokens to Register as Pennies Thwarted by Arrest of Six Men.

Another scheme by conductors to defraud the United Railways of fares was disclosed yesterday afternoon by the arrest of six conductors, three of whom have confessed, according to the police, having made by a local stamping company 500 counterfeit tokens, somewhat larger than the genuine ones so that they would register as pennies, which they intended to use on their cars. The scheme was frustrated, however, by the arrest of one of the conductors a few minutes after he left the stamping company with the first supply.

After being questioned by the police and Barney Frauenthal, traffic manager of the United Railways, at Central Police Station, the conductors were released at the request of Frauenthal until further notice.

21 Arrested in 1919.

Early in 1919 the United Railways dismissed 21 conductors for stealing by means of using mutilated nickels to register as pennies in the fare boxes, and several thousand of these mutilated coins were produced as evidence in the arbitration hearing of the cases of the men held upon demand of the street carmen's union. It was stated at that time by N. C. Mershon, chief spotter of the company, that the conductors had been stealing from $1200 to $1600 a day by means of the mutilated coins.

Since that time the company auditors or "spotters" have kept a persistent check on the conductors, and A. T. Perkins, manager for the receiver, recently told a Post-Dispatch reporter that thefts had been reduced to less than 25 fares a day.

Reported Confessions.

According to the confessions of the three men yesterday the scheme was to make a counterfeit token the size of a penny so that it would register in the fare box as one cent, thus giving the conductor a "profit" of 6 cents on the fare, and was concocted about two months ago by a conductor on the Manchester line, who interested the five others.

This man at first told the others he was working on a slot machine invention, and needed capital. Two of the men loaned him $5 each, and later he is said to have asked them if they would take part in a scheme "to get" some tokens that would register as pennies. They agreed, as, according to the confessions, 10 or 12 other conductors agreed to purchase and use the spurious tokens. The names of these others were not mentioned in the confessions.

Had 500 Discs Made.

Two of the men went to the local stamp manufacturing company and ordered 500 "metal discs with a horseshoe in the center, similar to United Railways tokens but the exact size of a penny." The cost, they were told, was to be $35 for 500, and $15 was paid on account.

About 10 days ago one of the men called for the tokens, the order having been left under the name of "John Smith." They were not all ready, but a sample was given, which was kept until yesterday, the conductor, it is assumed, having used it to make sure of its proper operation.

Yesterday this man sent another man to the stamp company with $20 to get the 500 which had been reported ready for delivery. He left the place and walked to Sixth and Pine streets, where he was arrested by two special officers, who found the counterfeits in his possession.

At Central Police Station he gave the names of the five others, who were also arrested. Two of them declared they had nothing to do with the scheme and knew nothing of it.

It appears from the confessions that the tokens were to be sold to the conductors at $125 for $8.75. The plan to profit by their use was to hand one of the spurious tokens to a passenger receiving change so that he would drop it in the fare box for a 7-cent fare. Because of its size it would register as a penny, thus giving the conductor 6 cents for himself on the transaction. In this manner he could reclaim the same token again and again.

The accused men were questioned at length this morning at the offices of the United Railways. Frauenthal said they pleaded for leniency, and that it had not been decided what action would be taken against them. He said none of the counterfeit tokens, as far as known, had been put in use by the men.

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Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

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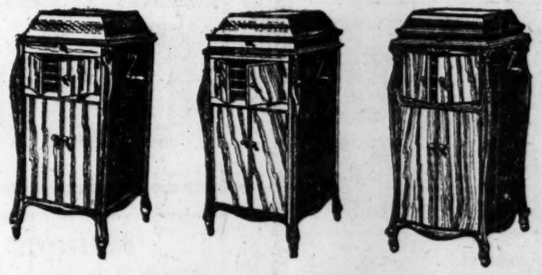

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STATEMENTS IN STRIKE OF TAILORS CONFLICT

Union Secretary Says 20 Master Tailors Have Signed Up—Other Side Denies It.

Abraham Hyatt, secretary of Journeymen Tailors' Union, Local 280, today said that 20 members of the Master Tailors' Association, which had established a co-operative shop after a clash with the union, had signed contracts with contracting tailors affiliated with the union.

On the other hand, Samuel L. Fox of 615 Pine street, president of the Master Tailors' Association, said that a committee of the association, investigating reports that members had signed up with the union, had found evidence of only one such contract, and that the tailor whose signature was attached had repudiated it as a forgery.

Says He Witnessed Signings.

"I know what I am talking about," said Hyatt, "because I witnessed the signing of the contracts. Furthermore, there are only 35 tailors in the Master Tailors' Association instead of 125, as Fox has been claiming. The Master Tailors' Association is composed only of popular-priced tailoring establishments and there are only 65 such shops in the city. The high-class tailors are affiliated with the Merchant Tailors' Association, which employs only members of Journeymen Tailors' Union, Local 11, which has a membership of about 900. Local 280 has a membership of 275.

"The so-called co-operative shop is doing practically nothing. There are only a few seamstresses employed there, and they can accomplish nothing without the assistance of operators, pressers and finishers. Less than eight tailors affiliated with the Master Tailors' Association are sending work to the shop. Besides, this is the dull season, and there is not enough work to test the efficiency of the shop."

Says Only One Was Found.

"Hyatt is mistaken," said Fox. "Sixty popular-priced tailors have indorsed the association's proposition to employ workmen only on a weekly wage basis instead of by piecework, as was formerly done. A committee was appointed to investigate reports that our members were signing up with the union and only one contract of the kind could be found. In that case the tailor denied having signed it."

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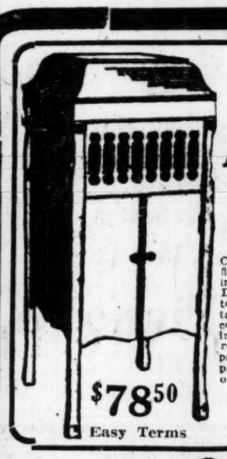

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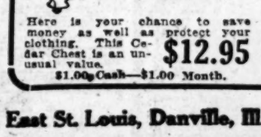

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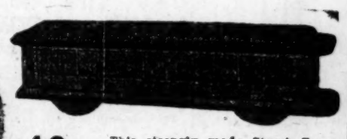

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S. and A. Michalak, 1433 N. 9th.
F. and M. Brewer, 2813 Magnolia.
H. and M. Pfeminger, 5704 Spalding.
J. and A. Mongato, 1018 N. High.
J. and G. Siegel, 5714 Lillian.
J. and B. Schaefermeyer, 5976 Cote Brilliante.
W. and J. Maurer, 721 W. Poepping.
J. and A. de Graves, 5712 Garfield.
F. and C. Pohl, 4634 Maffitt.
A. and M. Mattman, 5004 Alcott.
R. and M. Baer, 809 Allen.
G. and G. Weathers, 2823 Walnut.
S. and M. Cozen, 4204W Cook.

BOYS.

A. and M. Bill, 2834 Burd.
H. and E. Brand, 2020 East Prairie.
E. and D. Rienholz, 5057 Geraldine.
C. and F. Meeser, 5949 Lucille.
J. and R. Comora, 1412 Monroe.
O. and H. Beard, 2625A Indiana.
J. and M. Schmitt, 2905 Macklind.
J. and G. Gunter, 1923 Hebert.
S. and R. Pesacoff, 1514 Wash.
J. and E. Zykans, 8520 Water.
H. and K. Tyon, 8229 Reilly.
J. and L. White, 5926 McPherson.
F. and I. Sandt, 1620 N. 14th.
W. and B. Cherry, 3205 Lucas.
G. and I. Banks, 4368 Cook.
T. and A. Raitis, 206 S. 6th st.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Lillie Bultz, 6, 2419 S. Fourth.
M. Paterson, 1, 1421 Morgan.
Ada E. Lynn, 1, 3038A Lucas.
F. Cutter, 36, 1506 Papin.
J. Kern, 68, 1041 Goodfellow.
Louisa Schmacher, 85, 2002 S. 12th.
T. Mallet, 2 months, 2312 S. Tenth.
Sarah Zimmer, 41, 3462 De Kalb.
Phoebe M. Hardy, 46, 1718 Gay.
J. Uszuski, 9, 1216 N. Twelfth.
A. G. Pieper, 28, 3445 Grace.
Kate Timemonds, 55, 4155 Olive.
T. Bonomo, 7, 1418 N. Fourteenth.
Caroline Weisenbocker, 71, 1541 N. Eighth.
Anna M. Wagner, 19, 1108 Arsenal.
Emma S. Barbett, 42, 1055 S. Taylor.
Annie M. Johnson, 68, 4616 McPherson.
J. Meyer, 80, 5343 Magnolia.
Lena Folis, 57, 1404 Ferry.
Julia Phelan, 33, 4561A Adelaide.
Julia S. Spalding, 81, 3223 Montgomery.
C. Payne, 25, 1416 Chestnut.
Sarah S. Lindsley, 87, 5075 Cabanne.
K. Theodoroff, 39, Model Hotel.
G. Guthert, 71, 1061A Hornsby.
F. Linne, 79, 2509 W. Hebert.

New Records in Saving Life.
By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—New records in saving life and assisting distressed vessels were set by the coast guard during the past fiscal year, said the annual report of Commandant W. E. Reynolds, made public today. Rescues aggregated $2417. Vessels and cargoes valued at $65,479,705 were assisted as against $20,000,000 in any preceding year.

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Best Granulated **SUGAR, 3 lbs. 25c** With 1 lb. of our best Guatemala Coffee, at **35c**

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Sunmaid Raisins, lb. ..29c
Currants, lb. ..25c

Farinaceous Foods

Choice H. P. Michigan Navy Beans ..4 lbs. 25c
Lima Beans (recleaned) 2 lbs. 25c
Scotch Green Peas ..2 lbs. 15c
Lentils, lb. ..15c
Best Head Rice ..3 lbs. 25c
Choice Beans, lb. ..9c

Rolled Oats, 6 lbs. 25c | CAMPBELL'S SOUPS and BEANS ..3 cans 35c

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Our Jewel, lb. ..19c
B. Santos, lb ..23c
Bourbon, lb. ..25c
Special Blend, lb. 30c
Best Guatemala 3 lbs. $1
Cuban, lb. ..40c
M. B. Bogota, the best, lb. ..45c

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Our Elgin, lb. ..45c
Meadow Brook, lb. 48c
Blanton's Creamo, lb. ..35c
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Parkdale, lb. ..34c
Nut Margarine, any brand, lb. ..30c

TEAS

Best Mixed Tea, lb. 60c
Gunpowder, Pinhead, lb. ..70c
Orange Pekoe, Ceylon, lb. ..70c
Bunda, O. P. C., pkg. 19c
Lipton's—10c, 19c, 37c, 73c
He-No Tea; pkg. ..19c
Salada ..19c

Post Toasties Pkg., 11c | **Puffed-Wheat, Pkg., 12c**

PASTE FOODS

Macaroni and Spaghetti, lb. 11c
Meier's Noodles; fin, medium, wide ..2 lbs. 25c
Elbow Noodles ..2 lbs. 25c
Mustaciol ..2 lbs. 25c
Golden Age Spaghetti, Macaroni, Noodles ..3 pkg. 20c
Sea Shell Noodles, lb. ..14c

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Magic or Exposition ..3 pkgs. 25c
Sun Ray, All-Wheat Pancake Flour ..2 pkgs. 25c
Mama's P. C. Flour; 20-oz. 15c
36-oz. pkg. ..25c
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Aunt Jemima's; pkg. ..16c
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WALTKE'S EXTRA FAMILY SOAP ..6 bars 25c
P.-G., STAR, RUB-NO-MORE SOAP, 10 bars for 67c

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Citron, per lb. ..59c
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Shelled Nuts of All Kinds.
Premium Chocolate, per cake ..12c
Walnuts, best, per lb. ..29c
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Sicily Peerts, per lb. ..19c
Texas Pecans, per lb. ..30c
Cake Icing and Filling, pkg. ..20c
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As illustrated; the Murphy Bulldog; open, plush-lined top, cretonne lining; has eight up-and-down bands that run the full length of the trunk; has dust door, shoe pockets and laundry bag to match.
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Leather Photo Frames, for one, two and three pictures; regular $2, $3, $4 and up to $6.00; choice, **$1.00**

Same as above in three-quarter size, for men or ladies, without door.
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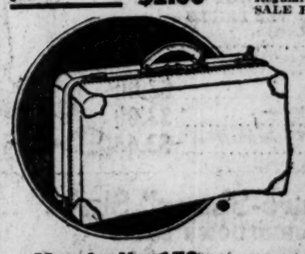

Regular $45 Fiber Wardrobe Trunks $25.00
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BEST BAGGAGE BUILT

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CHILE MAY ADOPT MEASURE MAKING COAL FIELDS "DRY"

Bill Would Prohibit Sale of All Alcoholic Liquors in Mining District.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.

SANTIAGO, Nov. 8.—Coal fields in Southern Chile will become "dry" soon if a provision of an agreement just signed between the miners and operators is enacted into law; and the fields may even become "bone dry" if a measure now before Parliament is adopted. The agreement apparently has settled a long standing controversy between the workers and their employers over questions of wages and hours of work, and says, among other things:

"The representatives of the companies and workmen agree to ask the public authorities to declare the coal region completely dry, prohibiting the introduction and sale of alcoholic drinks. While this measure is being enacted they ask the prohibition of sale of liquor during pay days."

The newspaper, Ultimas Noticias, commenting on the provision, says it is "worthy of note that the prohibition movement in Chile is supported with great strength by labor." The newspaper asks for early enactment of a measure introduced some months ago by Deputy Adrien of the Democratic party, to which a large element of labor belongs, which forbids "the introduction, manufacture, sale or consumption of any kind of distilled or fermented drinks" not only in the coal fields, but in the nitrate regions as well.

The bill has not yet been debated in the chamber.

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A rich smooth-bodied fine-flavored Cane Sugar Syrup

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From May-Stern's—The Store for Practical Gifts

A Pleasing Christmas Suggestion

Chinese Chippendale Cedar Chest

$3.00 Cash—$2.00 a Month Will Pay for It

FROM our large assortment of high-grade Red Cedar Chests we select this one for special mention. It is exactly as illustrated—in Chinese Chippendale design—built of genuine red cedar throughout—43 inches long—has ornamental corners and is attractively trimmed with broad copper bands. Just the thing in which to store your woolens, furs and bedding. Specially priced for this week at..... **$24.75**

Smoking Stands

HERE is something that the man who smokes should have. A Smoking Stand with a place for cigars, cigarettes, pipes and tobacco. Several different styles to select from at

$1.95 and Up

Tea Wagons

FOR the young lady who entertains at teas and luncheons, a tea wagon is a very acceptable gift. Our stock embraces all popular styles at pleasing prices—

$22.00 and Up

Lamps

MANY beautiful styles in Table Lamps with artistic shades at $12.75 and up. Exquisite Piano Lamps with 24-inch silk shades—all complete at

$19.75 and Up

Bed Room Furniture

FOR the woman who likes to beautify her home, we suggest a new Bedroom Suite or individual piece. We have them in all finishes in different period styles. Very handsome sets at

$145.00 and Up

Duofold Suites

IF you need extra sleeping quarters in your home, one of these handsome Diven-Bed Outfits solves the problem. Come in and see what low price levels have been reached on these Suites—and see why they are truly double values—

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TO present the family with a beautiful Tapestry Suite shows true thoughtfulness. We have a large assortment in 2 and 3 piece Suites in mohair and velour as well as in tapestry, at

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Explains why over five million cans of the New Karo were sold last year! A record:—

From the finest maple groves in Vermont and Canada come each year over a thousand tons of the purest and best flavored maple sugar to flavor the New Karo.

The makers of Karo are the world's largest buyers of maple sugar.

Which explains the purity and delicious flavor of the New Karo.

That part of Vermont, near Burlington, is noted for its rich maple syrup and maple sugar. It supplies much of the sugar used in the New Karo.

A tribute to Karo is the fact that one of the largest maple grove owners in this section regularly orders the New Karo for his employees.

The price of the New Karo is remarkably moderate—economical enough to serve every meal—and costs less than many syrups of similar quality and flavor.

Go to your grocer today and buy a can of the New Karo. Serve it. *Compare it for price and flavor with any maple or maple-flavor syrups. If you don't think it's a real treat—your grocer will return your money.*

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St. Louis Syrup & Preserving Co.
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The New Karo (GREEN CAN)

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Women's Kid Gloves

$2.50 Values, Friday,

$1.65

These are calfskin Gloves of the best quality, pique sewn, and having large pearl clasps. Embroidered backs in two-tone efects. Sizes up to 6½ only.

Main Floor

Dresden Lawn Stationery

$1.10 Value, Friday,

75c

24 sheets of paper, 24 correspondence cards and 48 envelopes, all packed in a neat hinge-top cabinet and ribbon tied. Choice of white, pink, blue, lavender or buff tints. Main Floor

Envelope Chemises

$6.95 to $7.50 Qualities,

$5.24

Choice of pink or white glove silk. Surplice or with hemstitched tops. Also, some silk, ribbon-trimmed Chemises.

Third Floor

Patsy Rompers

$3.95 Values, Friday for

$1.89

Cunning garments for little girls, neatly made of part wool serge, in black and white checks. Trimmed in white or in contrasting colors of stitchings. All sizes 1 to 6 years.

Third Floor

Just 13 Shopping Days Before Christmas

Shop Early in the Day

St. Louis' Foremo FAMOUS-

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for $2 or $2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles E

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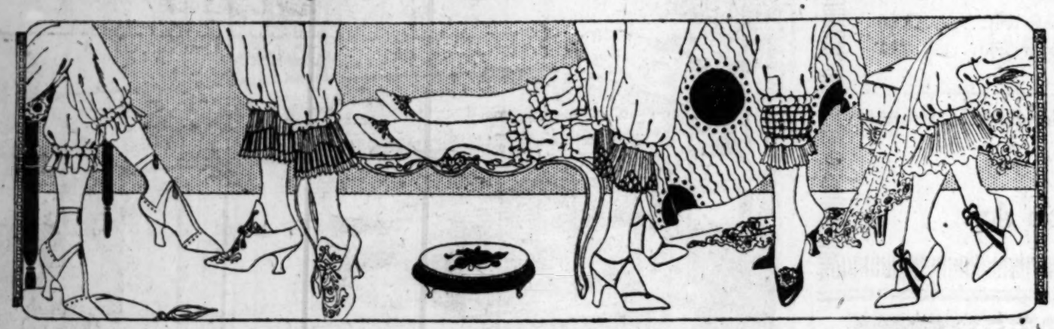
Candy Special

Assorted Nut Buttercups, filled with delicious fresh nuts; regularly 60c; Friday, per pound box **40c**

Main Floor



1000 Silk Pantalettes

$5.98 and $6.98 Values Tomorrow at..... **$3.88**

An event that is particularly timely, as many have Pantalettes on their gift list. These are very well made of good quality silk jersey—ankle length, with attractive cuff and pleated effects, fitted tops and reinforced for extra service.

Regular sizes, and you have choice of black, navy, rust, Copenhagen, purple, brown and beaver.

Be Among the First to Share in These Splendid Values

Third Floor

An Exceptional Holiday Offer in

Semi-Sweater Scarfs

$8.50 Value—Friday.... **$4.69**

Another lot of 200 just received in time for Friday. Very smart-looking are these Scarfs, woven of heavy, softest wool in the season's best shades of brown, navy, Copenhagen. Some also in black. The semi-sweater style in which these Scarfs are made make them very smart as well as comfortable; all with pockets and belts.

Main Floor

Very Chic and Remarkably Low-Priced

Satin Hats

$5.95 to $8.50 Values—Friday at..... **$3.89**

The 200 Hats in this collection are up-to-the-minute in style, and so unusually low in price as to give every woman an opportunity to purchase an extra Hat.

The shapes and styles here shown are sufficiently varied to suit any type and include the fashionable draped Hindoo turbans, small sailors with sashes of Georgette, and flowered-trimmed turbans. Only high luster satin of good quality is used in these hats. Choice of colors such as henna, Pekin, brown, beaver and black.

Third Floor

Girls' Dresses

$2.50 and $2.95 Values—Friday..... **$1.50**

One of these school Dresses would be a most acceptable gift. All are made of rich plaid ginghams; some combined with solid color. Models in high waist, vestee or pleated styles, belts and pockets. Sizes 10 to 14 years.

$2.95 to $3.95 Middies, $1.65

Made of white jean with navy blue serge or flannel collar. Sizes 6 to 20 years.

Third Floor

$2.95 & $3.95 White Dresses, $2.65

Lot includes sizes 6 and 8 years. Dainty white lingerie Frocks, trimmed with lace or embroidery and finished with satin ribbon girdle.

Third Floor

Women's Blanket Robes

$5.95 Values—Special, Friday..... **$4.79**

Made of beaver blanket cloth, these Robes are sure to be warm and comfortable. Choice of large or small patterns in rich, dark shades. All very well finished with large collars and pockets.

Third Floor

Women's Boudoir Slippers

$2.25 Value—Friday..... **$1.80**

Very comfortably made with soft, padded soles. De Luxe patterns. Choose from a variety of staple or fancy colors.

Children's and Misses' $1.35 Juliets, $1.10

These are well-made slippers, having soft soles. Shown in king blue or red. Sizes from children's 5 to misses' 2.

Second Floor

Sterling Silver Rosaries

Friday at..... **$1.95**

These Rosaries are 11½ inches long and exceedingly well made; all connections and beads being of sterling silver. All chains soldered.

15-inch Rosaries, sterling silver beads, with connections of silver in satin finish; special **$2.95**

Main Floor

Women's Handkerchiefs

Neatly embroidered white hemstitched Handkerchiefs of a splendid quality; come three in a gift box; Friday, box..... **55c**

Main Floor

Real Laces

Real Filet and Baby Irish Laces and Bands of a superior quality. Specially priced Friday at, yard **$1.50**

Main Floor

$1.19 Fancy Silk

Light color fancy Brocades, 27 inches wide; suitable for fancy work, ties, etc. Special Friday at, yard **75c**

Main Floor

Metal Brocades

Beautiful patterns in high-grade Metal Brocades for hats and fancy bags; on sale in Trimming Section Friday, yd., **$2.50**

Main Floor

$2.75 Candlesticks

Mahogany finished Candlesticks, 14 inches high; make splendid Christmas gifts. Friday Special, each **$1.45**

Seventh Floor

Smoking Trays

Unusual values in mahogany finished Smoking Trays, with glass insert; regularly $1.25; Friday **69c**

Seventh Floor

Knitting Stands

Mahogany finished Knitting Stands, which make very attractive and useful gifts; $6.75 values..... **$2.95**

Seventh Floor

Chiffon Velvet

Choice of our entire stock of 40-inch wide colored Chiffon Velvets; regular $8.95 quality. Friday, yard **$6.95**

Main Floor

59c Bath Towels

Full bleached, absorbent quality Towels, with blue stripe borders; 20x40-inch size, nicely hemmed; Friday **35c**

Fifth Floor

$5 Tablecloths

Round, scalloped edge Cloths in circular designs; 72-inch size, of heavy, mercerized satin damask; special **$3.98**

Fifth Floor

Black Broadcloth

Splendid quality chiffon satin finish Broadcloth, in rich black only; 54 inches wide; $7 grade. Special, yard **$4.98**

Main Floor

$6.75 Plaid Blankets

Soft, wool-finished Blankets in blue, pink, tan, gray or yellow plaids; size 66x80 inches; special, pair **$4.75**

Fourth Floor

Women's Petticoats

Of good quality flannelette in plain pink, light blue and gray and stripe effects, with deep ruffle; $1.50 value **$1.00**

Third Floor

Women's $2.95 Aprons

Made of good quality gingham, in checks, plaids and stripes. Trimmed with contrasting material, with large pockets and tie sash **$1.95**

Third Floor

Blue Kid Boots

Women's midnight blue Kid Boots, in plain or cut-out pattern; high cut, with leather Cuban and Louis heels; A to D widths; $12 value; pair.. **$8.75**

Second Floor

English Teapots

Special offering of English rock Teapots in various attractive colors, shapes and sizes; limited quantity; regularly $1.00 and $1.25..... **69c**

Fifth Floor

Silver-Plated

Pie Sets

A Friday Special, at

$1.95

Very attractive and useful household article. These have 9-inch silver-plated frames in pierced design, with Pyrex liner.

Main Floor

Boys' $1.50 Shirts

Neckband, soft cuff style, made of fast color percales or white madras; all sizes 12 to 14 neckband. Friday **95c**

Second Floor

Boys' $1.50 Gloves

Fleece-lined leather Gauntlet Gloves in black or tan. Special values for Friday only, at, pair **$1.15**

Second Floor

Boys' Polo Hats

Chinchilla Polos in gray, brown or navy. Made with pull-down band to protect the ears. $2 value. Friday **$1.35**

Second Floor

Men's Handkerchiefs

Splendid quality white hemstitched Handkerchiefs in soft finish; regularly 12½c; Friday, per dozen **$1.15**

Main Floor

$2 Brassieres

Good quality B. & J. Brassieres, made of pink silk La Jerz and lace. Sizes somewhat broken. Special Friday..... **88c**

Fifth Floor

75c Bath Towels

Excellent quality bleached Towels, with deep pink or blue jacquard borders; large size and nicely hemmed. Friday. **49c**

Fifth Floor

50c Cake Plates

Large size Cake Plates, in various tints and decorations. Just 550 in the lot; specially priced Friday..... **35**

Fifth Floor

Knit Petticoats

Women's good quality Knit Petticoats in gray, cream, pink or blue, with fancy woven stripes; $1.50 value. Special, **95**

Third Floor

Women's Gowns

Warm flannelette Gowns, in blue and pink stripes and in all white with double yoke and "V" neck. Special.... **$1.5**

Third Floor

A Friday Special of Women's and Misses'

D-r-e-s-s-e-s

Offering $29.75 to $45 Garments at

$20.00

A group of 135 Dresses taken from our regular stock, and in most instances there is only one or two alike. Extraordinary values in smartly styled Dresses of tricotine, duvetyne, serge, tricolette, Georgette, satin and crepe de chine, with attractive trimming effects.

Fashionable shades and sizes 14 to 44 in one style or another.

Third Floor

Extraordinary Underselling, and Just Before Christmas, Too, on

Sample Wool Hosiery

$2.95 to $3.95 Values—Special at..... **$1.58**

The lot includes Women's Stockings of all-wool, silk-and-wool and wool-mixed, in heather mixtures and plain colors—plain, ribbed, silk clocked and dropstitch novelties, also fancy rolled-top Socks. The vogue for this style of Hosiery makes it specially suitable for gifts.

Women's Wool Hose

$1.50 to $2.75 Qualities..... **88c**

2200 pairs of sample Hosiery in silk-and-wool and wool-mixed; semi-fashioned and seamless styles in plain black and colors as well as heather mixtures. Dropstitch, plain or ribbed.

Men's Wool Hose

$1.50 to $2.50 Qualities..... **88c**

Samples of all-wool and wool-mixed Socks in plain and fancy ribbed and drop stitch kinds; medium and heavy weights, plain colors and heather mixtures.

Main Floor

1000 Pairs of Lace Curtains

Specially Priced Friday, and Selling in Two Groups—

$3.50 Curtains—Pair..... **$2.58**

$4.50 Curtains—Pair..... **$3.58**

These are Scotch net and Nottingham Curtains, in allover Egyptian and double border effects. The saving offered gives every housewife an opportunity to procure new Curtains.

Fourth Floor

"Christmas Store"

BARR CO.

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Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West.

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DAY SPECIAL DAY"

Accepted on Friday Specials

Umbrellas

Women's and men's Umbrellas with covers of best quality rainproof American taffeta, with silk cases and ring and fancy handles **$3.00**

Main Floor

Men's Sweater Coats

Special Friday.

$4.44

These Coats are Shaker knit, rope or cardigan stitch; medium or heavy weights. Choice of roll-collar neck or slip-over styles. Colors in navy, Oxford, khaki, green or heather mixtures.

Second Floor

Madeira Napkins

$10.00 Values, Friday,

$7.95

These are of all pure linen, with hand-scalloped edges and neat designs hand-embroidered in corners. A gift to be welcomed by any woman.

Fifth Floor

White Ivory Toilet Sets

$12.00 Values, Special Friday.

$8.95

What woman or girl would not be delighted to receive one on Christmas day? Each set consists of 8 pieces in ivory white, daintily packed in a nicely lined box.

Main Floor

36-Inch Cretonnes

$1.00 and $1.25 Qualities, Yard,

75c

Assortment includes 1000 yards Cretonne in the newest designs and colorings. Splendid for making draperies, pillows, floor cushions, etc.

Fourth Floor

Children's Union Suits

Odd lots and broken sizes of fine ribbed cotton Suits; fleece lined, in long sleeve, ankle length style. Friday **95c**

Third Floor

$45 Wardrobe Trunks

Good quality Trunks, well lined and made with round edge; equipped with shoe box and laundry bag. Friday... **$29.75**

Sixth Floor

$15 to $18 Trunks

Limited number of dress and steamer Trunks, in all kinds and sizes; specially priced Friday, choice for ... **$10.00**

Sixth Floor

Traveling Bags

Made of high-grade cowhide and leather lined; high cut in 18-inch size; $15 value. Friday Special **$10.50**

Sixth Floor

Sewing Machines

Special offering of Singer Electric Sewing Machines with motor; made with high-grade woodwork. Friday **$57.50**

Sixth Floor

Baby Carriages

The new shapes in good quality reed Baby Carriages, made with regd hood; regularly $35. Friday Special... **$24.50**

Sixth Floor

$1 Black Serge

Half-wool, 36-inch wide staple Serge in black only; splendid quality; specially priced for Friday at, yard **69c**

Main Floor

Floranne Corsets

Made of pink brocade with elastic all around top. Sizes 21 to 26. $3 values. Friday Special **$2.10**

Fifth Floor

Incense Burners

Japanese Incense Burners in several effective figures; box of cone incense included. Friday Special **29c**

Main Floor

Cut Glass Nappies

Six-inch Handled Nappies, cut in floral and miter designs on heavy lead crystal glass. Limited quantity; $1.75 value. Friday Special **$1.25**

Fifth Floor

$20 Table Lamps

Fancy metallic bases and attractively decorated 16-inch glass shades; fitted with two pull chain sockets, cord and plug. Friday **$11.95**

$10.98 Bed Sets

Satin Marseilles Spreads, with scalloped edge and cut-out corners; handsome raised designs; in size 88x98 inches, with bolster cover to match **$8.95**

Fifth Floor

Men's Underwear

Broken lots and discontinued numbers of Winter shirts or drawers, including wool-mixed and cotton ribbed garments; $1.15 to $2.50 kinds; each **76c**

Main Floor

Children's Pajamas

Two-piece coat style, of crepe or sateen, some with frogs, in pink, blue and white; 8 to 18 year sizes; $3.95 value... **$3.19**

Third Floor

Hair Brushes

Real ebony handle Brushes, made with all bristle in several shapes. $1.75 to $2 values. Friday **$1.25**

Main Floor

$1.75 Shaving Stands

All-nickel Shaving Stands with good mirror, brush and mug. Very acceptable for Christmas. Friday Special **$1.25**

Main Floor

$1.50 Work Boxes

Imported Boxes in fancy shape, with leatherette cover and nicely lined with sewing utensils. Friday Special **$1.15**

Main Floor

$1 Doll Cushions

Dainty porcelain head and body with fancy silk-covered cushion; large size; specially priced Friday only, at **65c**

Main Floor

Men's $7 Shoes

Black kid and gunmetal calf Shoes, in blucher or straight lace styles; welt soles on medium and wide toe lasts. Friday, pair **$5.75**

Second Floor

Men's $4 Slippers

Brown kid or black kid Slippers in opera or Everett style; have turned soles. Friday Special, pair **$3.25**

Second Floor

Auto Robes

Woven Auto Robes, size 52x72 inches, with double edge; come in dark, serviceable colors. Special Friday at **$5.45**

Sixth Floor

$25 Seal Plush

Genuine Salt's make Silk Seal Plush, 50 inches wide; splendid for throws, trimmings or coats. Friday, yard ... **$17.50**

Main Floor

$1.59 Black Satin

Staple, 36-inch wide soft Black Satin in medium weight; splendid wearing quality. Friday Special at, yard **$1.10**

Main Floor

$3 Navy Coatings

Heavy quality, all-wool novelty weave navy blue Coatings, in double width; special value Friday at, yard **$2.19**

Main Floor

$3 Silk Foulards

Black or navy blue Silk Foulards, with allover white prints; 40 in. wide. Friday at, yard **$1.50**

Main Floor

Men's Silk Neckwear

Choice of 1200 Ties Made to Retail at $2, $3 and $4 at

$1.00

If you have gifts to buy for men you will want to take advantage of this splendid opportunity to save on beautiful silk Four-in-Hand Ties. They are made in open-end styles with slip-easy band, and there is a wide variety of patterns—neat spray and allover floral effects as well as fancy brocaded designs.

Satins, Twills, Basket Weaves

Wool Mixed Shirts

$3.00 Value.. **$1.65**

Men's gray and blue wool-mixed Shirts, cut full and roomy, in sizes 14½ to 18.

Men's Nightshirts

$3.00 Value.. **$1.65**

Made of heavy-weight flannelette, with silk frog fastenings or braid trimming. Sizes 15 to 20.

Men's Pajamas

$3.00 Value.. **$1.65**

600 pairs, made of madras, mull and percale, the majority in plain colors of pink, blue, tan and white; braid trimmed; sizes A, B, C and D.

Main Floor

Fur Caps

$5 Value— Friday,

$3.15

For the man who is much outdoors these Caps are ideal. Well-made in Detroit styles and priced for one day's selling only.

Main Floor

Finck's Overalls

Regularly $2.25— Friday... **$1.29**

Standard make nationally advertised Overalls of 240 weight blue denim. All have double stitched seams, high backs and the necessary pockets. Will give the most satisfactory service. 34 to 40 waist measure, and various lengths.

Second Floor

Sale of Boys' Suits

$18.50 and $20 Values, Friday

$12.90

200 of these one and two pants styles of Boys' Suits offered at this low price. Very well made are they, of blue serge, cassimere, cheviots, tweed and corduroy, in the newest Fall models, with detachable belts, flap or slash packets and yokes. Sizes 8 to 18 years.

$2.75 and $3.25 Corduroy Knickers, $1.89

Knickers are well made of Crompton and other good quality corduroy, in light brown and drab shades. All sizes 6 to 18 years.

$1.50 "Koveralls" and Rompers, $1.12

The original "Koveralls," in khaki and dark blue fabrics. Rompers of gingham with round necks; long sleeves, loose belts; also peg top styles. Sizes 2 to 8 years.

$10 Overcoats, $7.15

Very "nobby" styles for little fellows. Button-to-the-neck style with all-around belts, fancy body linings and Venetian yokes. Sizes 2 to 9 years.

Second Floor

Ostermoor Mattresses

$40 Grade— Friday..... **$19.50**

Very low priced are these Mattresses for Friday's selling. Made of cotton felt, in 45-lb. weight. Either full or ¾ size. Every Mattress will give maximum service, being well made and covered with good grade of art ticking.

Fourth Floor

Houseware Specials

Specially priced for Friday, we offer many things which will interest the housewives. Some of the articles included in this assortment are:

$4.50 Carpet Sweepers; Crown Jewel make—Japan finish; while 50 last.....$3.89

$4.30 Dutch Ovens; Griswold make; No. 9 size, of heavy cast iron with cover $3.25

$3.25 Casseroles; 7-inch size, nickel-plated frame, fire-proof inset; while 100 last.....$2.19

$6.50 Smoking Stands; mahogany finish; 26 in. high with removable glass inset with 2 cigar rests; while 100 last.....$4.83

$3.75 Bread Makers; Landers, Frary & Clark make; 4-loaf size, made of heavy tin; only 100 in the lot.....$2.65

$3.45 Aluminum Preserving Kettles; 8-qt. size in high finish; while 100 last.....$1.94

$5.50 Electric Irons; Victory brand; 6-lb. size with cord and plug; while 150 last... $2.95

Basement Gallery

Book Special

Regular $1 Books— Friday..... **69c**

A book by Zane Grey is sure to be one that can be read several times with pleasure, thus making it an acceptable holiday gift. There are few writers whose works are more popular, or more widely read than Zane Grey, among whose novels we offer:

The Last of the Plainsmen.
Betty Zane.
Last of the Great Scout.
The Short Stop.
The Heritage of the Desert

Sixth Floor

Basement Economy Store

'Kerchiefs, 79c Doz.

Large size for men; of soft-finished cambric, finished with ¼-inch hems; an excellent value.

Basement Economy Store

'Kerchiefs, Box, 50c

Women's good quality cambric Handkerchiefs, with neatly embroidered corners; three in a Christmas box, 50c.

Knit Caps, 69c

Boys' Hockey Caps in a wide range of patterns and various colors. Made to sell for $1.

Boys' Caps, 79c

Made with inbands for use in cold weather; of corduroy and mixtures; $1 values.

Button Leggins, 59c

For children; made of good quality jersey; fleece lined; very warm and comfortable; all sizes.

$3.45 Juliets, $2.95

Women's Juliets of black kid, with tips or plain broad toes; hand turned soles; rubber heels; all sizes from four to eight.

Basement Economy Store

Excess Values Are These

Smart Dresses

$19.50 and $25 Qualities

Friday for..... **$15**

Women or misses who wish to be fashionably dressed at a moderate cost, should not overlook this group of Dresses. They are well made of the season's favored materials and reflect the very newest styles. Included are tunic, panel and flare effects, also belted and straightline models. All are cleverly trimmed with beads, braid or embroidery. Of wool velour, tricolette, satin and serge, in navy and the wanted colors. All sizes.

$17.50 to $20 Coats, $12.85

Practical Coats for both women and misses in fur-trimmed and plain models. Choice of loose, wrappy effects or belted models. Made of heather mixtures and wool velour, in navy and the desired colors. All sizes.

Basement Economy Store

One-Day Sale of

Women's Sweaters

Formerly Priced $2.98 to $4.95— Special, Friday... **$1.95**

Splendidly made Sweaters of all-wool zephyr yarns, in the slipover and fishtail models; also the surplice tie-back styles. Shown with collars or in the collarless styles; all have long sleeves; come in buff, turquoise, salmon, peacock, purple and black; also a limited quantity of open front coats with belts and two pockets; sailor collars; wanted colors; all sizes.

Children's Sweaters

Warm little Sweaters in the open front and slipover styles, with belts and large or small collars; of all-wool and mixed yarns; come in white, white combinations and dark colors; $1.95 and $2.95 qualities..... **$1.39**

Basement Economy Store

Men's Pajamas, $1.29

Carefully made of flannelette, madras, ginghams and chambrays; choice of military collars or V necks.

50c Suspenders, 35c

Men's Suspenders, made of new webbing in light and dark patterns; rust-proof buckles; leather ends; regular and extra lengths.

Jersey Gloves, 39c

For men. Heavy and medium weights, in black and tan; embroidered backs; wrist clasps and binding; all sizes.

$1.25 Plaids, 89c

50 pieces of 36-inch wool-mixed plaids in various combinations for children's wear.

$2 and $2.25 Silks, $1.39

1000 yards of 36-inch-wide fancy silk, in light and dark plaids and foulards.

Basement Economy Store

Petticoats, 69c

Women's fancy knitted Petticoats with novelty borders or flannelette in pink and blue stripe patterns; $1 and $1.25 grade.

$2.50 Taffeta, $1.48

Changeable Taffeta, 36 inches wide; suitable for petticoats; chiffon weight.

Union Suits, $1.95

Men's Union Suits of the $2.75 grade; of ribbed cotton, fleece lined; ecru or gray; sizes 36 to 44.

Basement Economy Store

Sweater Coats, $1.39

Good quality cotton Sweater Coats for men; made with large shawl collars and two pockets; all sizes in gray.

Union Suits, $1.25

Women's Union Suits of fleece-lined ribbed cotton; both regular and extra sizes.

Corsets, $1.85

Made of pink and white material in low and medium bust models; two pairs of supporters; all sizes.

Basement Economy Store

75c Prolino

Friday— Square Yard, **49c**

This Floorcovering is made with a felt base, which insures strength and durability. It is sanitary and waterproof. Shown in various neat patterns. Comes two yards wide.

Basement Economy Store

A Pre-Christmas Sale of

Silk Waists

$2.98 and $3.98 Kind

Friday Special.. **$1.95**

In this lot there are over 500 Waists in twenty different styles. Elaborately embroidered or plain fronts, round or square necks, also collarless models. Many have long sleeves, while others have fancy ¾ length sleeves. Wide range of light and dark colors, navy and black. All sizes.

White Waists, 79c

Women's Waists of the $1 to $1.50 grade. Of white voile, lingerie, batiste and checked or corded waistings. Trimmed and plain front. Smart collars. Long sleeves. All sizes.

Basement Economy Store

Scrim Curtains

$2 Kind, Pair ... **$1.19**

Sheer quality Scrim Curtains with hemstitched edges and lace borders. Come in white only.

Net Curtains

Per Pair, **$1.59**

Plain centers, novelty and Cluny lace edges; practical for all rooms in the home; seconds; $2.75 and $3.25 values.

Cretonnes

Per Yard, **35c**

Rich colored Cretonnes of the 50c to 75c quality; floral, bird and conventional effects; 36 inches wide; light and dark colors.

Window Shades

Each for.. **59c**

36x72 inches; green on one side, white on the other; mounted on strong spring roller; furnished complete, ready to hang; seconds.

Curtaining

Per Yard, **22c**

Remnants of mercerized plain and fancy Curtain Marquisette, also Curtain Voiles; many pieces match; seconds.

Basement Economy Store

Apron Ginghams

Yard, **19c**

Blue and white checks, and tweedies. Amoskeag brand. Pure dye. Cut from bolts. Original mill tickets.

Pillowcases Each, 50c

Pequot mill brand. 42x36 inches. Bleached. Finished with 3-inch hem. Will launder perfectly.

Percales, Yard, 25c

Shirting Percales 36 inches wide. Light backgrounds with fancy stripes. Suitable for men's and boys' shirts.

Outings, Yard, 22c

Extra heavy quality. Soft fleece. Stripe patterns. Lengths from 2 to 8 yards. 36 inches wide.

Damask, Yard, 75c

Bleached Table Damask, 64 inches wide. Spot, stripe and floral designs. Mercerized finish. $1.25 quality.

75c Towels, Ea., 39c

Extra heavy all-white terry cloth Turkish Towels, neatly hemmed, 22x44-inch size. Limit of four to a customer.

Flannelette Yard, 17c

Soft fleece finish. 27 inches wide. Printed patterns. Suitable for making nightwear. Cut from the bolt.

Basement Economy Store

ALL MOTHERS SHOULD BUY THIS

FOR safety sake—for sanitary reasons—to prevent children's heads from being infested with vermin, K-I-L-V-E destroys the eggs or larvae breeding places of vermin in the hair. It is not oily or sticky, and does not interfere with growth or color of the hair. No fine Comb needed if Kil-ve is used. Sold at all drug stores—35c, 65c & $1.25.

KIL-VE

DESTROYS VERMIN ON CHILDREN'S HEADS

Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight

By the simple use of Bon-Opto, says Dr. Lewis, I have seen eyesight strengthened 50% in a week's time in many instances, and quick relief brought to inflamed, aching, itching, burning, work-strained, watery eyes. Read the doctor's full statement soon to appear in this paper. Bon-Opto is sold and recommended everywhere by Druggists.

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NEGRO SCHOOL BOUGHT MOST CHRISTMAS SEALS

Money Contributed to Be Used in Fighting Tuberculosis Among Their Race.

The Banneker Grammar School for negro children led all the St. Louis public schools Tuesday in purchase of Christmas seals and Santa Claus buttons, with a total of $325. The largest amount collected at any of the white schools, according to returns thus far in, is $100. The children of the negro schools are particularly interested in the seal sale this year because its results will be of a direct benefit to their race, and all money raised in the negro schools as well as in the churches and motion-picture theaters for negroes will be used in anti-tuberculosis work among the negroes in St. Louis.

A resolution adopted Monday by the board of directors of the Tuberculosis Society of St. Louis pledged the society to a definite program for work among negroes, based upon findings in a survey of tuberculosis conditions here just made by Miss Virginia James, head of the research department of the society. It showed that with one-twelfth of the population of St. Louis negro, there is three times as much tuberculosis among the negroes as among the whites. As negroes are constantly associated with the whites as domestic servants, hotel employes and in numerous other ways, the negro tuberculosis problem is a definite community problem, the report said.

Danger of Infection.

This survey also showed that there is much greater danger of infection from a tuberculous negro than from a tuberculous white person, largely because most negroes do not resort to treatment until it is too late and having had no medical advice in the early stages of the disease, usually do not take precautions to safeguard those around them from infection.

The survey showed that almost one-fourth of all the persons ill with tuberculosis in St. Louis are negroes; that many more males than females are ill of that disease; that tuberculosis attacks negroes at an earlier age than it does whites and that it attacks males earlier than females; that about one-fourth of all negro females and one-seventh of all negro males, ill of tuberculosis, are under 20 years of age, while only one-eighth of the white females and one-sixteenth of the white males, ill of the disease, are in the same age group. Negro females between birth and 10 years of age are much more susceptible to tuberculosis than are negro males or white females of the same age. They are 10 times as susceptible as white females, eight times as susceptible as white males an dalmost twice as susceptible as colored males, according to the survey.

According to the records in the city Health Department as reported in this survey, 76.8 per cent of all negro females and 22 per cent of all negro males reported ill of tuberculosis, gave domestic or personal service for whites as their occupation, but more than twice as many white persons as negroes are employed as domestics.

The findings with regard to the children led the Tuberculosis Society to urge upon the Board of Education the immediate establishment of an open air school for negro children. According to an arrangement between the Board of Education and the Tuberculosis Society, the former is to establish the school, and the latter to maintain it with an appropriation from its last budget.

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These beautiful Phonographs are like new—latest styles, beautiful finishes, workmanship and material fully guaranteed. You can pay a fancy price for a new Phonograph, but you will not get a machine with a better tone. We give, free, 20 selections of music with each Phonograph, even at our special sale price. Play all records—Edison, Columbia, Pathe, Victor, etc.—without extra attachments.

Regular $125 Size Phonographs $80

Oak or mahogany cases, like new, and fully guaranteed, now only.....

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Oak or mahogany cases, like new, extra fine. Large cabinets. Wonderful value. Now.....

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(We are manufacturers of the famous "Starck Classique" Phonograph) brings to us many used Phonographs of other makes. We do not wish to carry this stock on hand, so to turn it into cash quickly we have cut prices to bedrock. Here is a partial list of bargains. If you do not see in this list what you want, call or write for complete list.

Silvertone	Mahogany case. Like new. Regular $200 size.....	Our price $65
Columbia	Mahogany case. Good tone. Nearly new. $150 style.....	Our price 77
Vitanola	Mahogany case. Good tone. See this special bargain.....	Our price 35
Sample	Just like new. Oak case. Dandy bargain. $250 style..	Our price 97
Console	Table model, mahogany case. $300 Colonial Period design.	Our price 145

DEALERS' NOTICE We positively will accept no orders from the wholesale trade for the above machines. Each customer is limited to one outfit during this sale.

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Wonderful Sale $7.50

PARISIAN BOOTS

$4.95

Brown, Blue, Black

The smartest Boots shown for many seasons; 10 inches high, with fancy cut-out effect at top. Effectively perforated tip, vamp and imitation collar. Choice of 2½-inch slender leather Louis or 1¾-inch military heels in any of the three leathers. All sizes from 2 to 8, B to E. Your choice at *$4.95*.

A Sale of High-Grade

$2.50 FELT SLIPPERS

$1.95

Wonderful assortment fur or ribbon-trimmed Juliets with hand-turned leather soles; E-Z Slippers, ribbon trimmed, with soft elk padded soles; colors blue, pink, lavender, maroon, orchid, brown, black or gray—all of first quality. All sizes from 3 to 9, in each style. $2.50 value at *$1.95*.

Special Xmas Sale

Dec. 9, 10, 11, 13, 14

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1000 Diamond Rings

Set in 14-k Solid Gold, White Gold and Platinum Top Mountings for Ladies or Gents

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2 Big Bargain Days—Friday & Saturday

LA PREFERENCIA
10c size....5 for 45c; 50 box, $4.48
13c Victoria size.....5 for 55c 50 box, $5.50; 25 box, $2.83
15c Bischop.5 for 68c; 25 box, $3.33

Charles the Eighth
10c Puritanos size.....25 box, $2.00
2 for 35c Perf. extra— 25 box, $2.75 10 box, $1.25
13c Favorita extra.....25 box, $3.00
15c straight Coronas— 25 box, $3.25 10 box, $1.50

PARAMOUNT
Regalia Perf. size.....25 box, $2.48
De Luxe, foil wrapped..10 box, $1.25
15c Perf. Sub 5 for 55c; 50 box, $5.25
Large Sublimes, foil...25 box, $3.00

DONNATELLA
(MILD HAVANA)
2 for 25c Perf. extra— 10 box, $1.25 25 box, $2.75
15c straight Fav. extra..25 box, $3.00

POW-HA-TAN
Chico size...4 for 25c; 25 box, $1.48
Hav. Grande.5 for 45c; 25 box, $2.23
2 for 25c Aristocrats— 5 for 55c 25 box, $2.73
15c straight Havana Perf., foil wrapped.....5 for 65c; 25 box, $3.23

EL MURILLO
10c Perfecto size— 25 box, $2.25; 50 box, $4.00
15c Excellente, foil wrapped— 25 box, $3.00; 50 box, $5.50

FIRST CONSUL
Manhattan or Sublimes— 5 for 45c; 50 box, $4.48
Majors.....5 for 55c; 25 box, $2.75
Chesterfield, foil— 5 for 65c; 25 box, $3.23
Med. Perf. 25 box, $3.48; 50 box, $6.75

ANTON BOCK'S DON ANTONIO
15c straight Perf. Majestics— 5 for 55c; 25 box, $3.25
20c Invincibles— 5 for 80c; 25 box, $3.75

MELBA
10c Bouquet..5 for 38c; 50 box, $3.75
10c Tissue Wrapped....25 box, $2.23
Straights.....25 box, $2.48
Perf., tissue wrapped...25 box, $2.98

GARCIA
10c Bachelor.5 for 45c; 50 box, $4.50

Autocrat Handmade
6c; 25 can, $1.45

Havana Smokers
10c Perfectos— 5 in foil, 40c; 50 box, $3.75

HI VULTO
7c Perf. size.....5c; 50 box, $2.50

DON AMORO
Mild Havana blend— 6 for 35c; 50 box, $2.75

MERCANTILES
2 for 25c size.....25 box, $2.98
15c Delmonicos.....25 box, $3.35

LADY DEVONSHIRE
2 for 25c Corona.....25 box, $2.98

LA CARINA
8c size, foil wrapped...25 box, $1.75

AMOR Y ARTE
8c size.....25 box, $1.75

SHUR EDGE
7c Louires size— 25 box, $1.25; 50 box, $2.40

LENAT
8c size.....25 box, $1.50

CIGARS—10 to Box
Cassia.....box of 10, 50c
Elko.....box of 10, 75c
Little Chancellor.....box of 12, 90c
Ruy Vesta, mild Havana, in cedar box.....box of 10, 98c
Agents.....box of 10, 98c
Paramounts, De Luxe.box of 10, $1.25
Charles the Eighth, 15c Corona— 10 in box, $1.50
Donnatella, mild Havana, 2 for 25c size.....box of 10, $1.25

HAVANA GEMS
Panetellas..4 for 15c; 100 box, $3.50

JOHN RUSKINS
2 for 15c; 25 can, $1.75

CIGARETTES
Chesterfield....carton 10 pkgs., $1.65
Camel.....carton 10 pkgs., $1.65
Piedmonts.....carton 10 pkgs., $1.65
And all other Popular Brands in Xmas packages at cut prices.

TOBACCOS
Prince Albert, Velvet and all other Popular Brands in half and pound packages.

PIPES
If you decide on a Pipe, be sure and see our big line of high-grade Briar Pipes.....25c to $6.00

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AT POPULAR PRICES
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No. 2 Brownie Camera.....$3.33
No. 2A Brownie Camera.....$4.58
No. 3 Brownie Camera.....$5.00
No. 2 Eastman Folding Cartridge Premo.....$8.28
No. 2A Eastman Folding Cartridge Premo.....$9.23
No. 3A Eastman Folding Cartridge Premo.....$18.25
Vest Pocket Autographic Kodak $9.49
No. 1 Autographic Kodak, R. R. Lens.....$19.26
No. 1A Autographic Kodak, R. R. Lens.....$20.96
No. 3A Autographic Kodak, R. R. Lens.....$24.64

RAZOR BLADES
AT CUT PRICES FRIDAY ONLY
$1.00 Gillette Blades.....83c
50c Gillette Blades.....42c
$1.00 Auto-Strop Blades.....83c
50c Auto-Strop Blades.....42c
50c Durham Duplex Blades.....42c
50c Gem Blades.....42c
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Tampering With Soccer Stars to Be Investigated

Complaint of Missouri District Head Will Be Taken Up by National Body.

VAUGHN CASE STARTED IT

Head of Dry Docks Declared That Vaughn Was Offered Job Only When He Applied.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—"If it can be established that any club, Eastern or Western, has been offering inducements to players on any of the St. Louis clubs to repudiate their contracts and desert, the rules will be applied and punishment administered."

So declared Thomas Cahill, secretary of the United States Football Association, today, when told that St. Louis fans were charging that the Robins Dry Docks F. C. of this city had offered Vaughn inducements to desert the Innisfails in midseason.

"I just heard of the matter yesterday," said Cahill, "when I got a telegram telling me of Vaughn's case, and of the indignation that had been aroused. One of the most emphatic rules of the U. S. F. A. is that forbidding the tampering of one club with the players of another. The rule was devised for the protection of the independent clubs, though in the beginning of organized football the rich industrial teams were not a serious factor to the game. A half-dozen years ago there were many factory teams playing, but they were teams organized voluntarily by the workers, without financial or other support from the employing companies.

"The example set by Mr. Schwab of the Bethlehem Steel Co. in encouraging athletics among his employes and giving funds to build a stadium, has roused the spirit of emulation in other corporation heads, and now we have a strong industrial section. Naturally, these clubs, with plenty of funds at their disposal, have been using every effort to corral all the star players. To protect the independent clubs which have only their gate receipts to depend on we buttressed the rule against tampering with another, limiting the number of players that could be signed by any one team to 18.

Will Investigate Vaughn Case.

"I do not know the facts in the Vaughn case, but they will be investigated. I called up Mr. Smith, president of the Robins, as soon as I heard of the matter, and he declared positively that no effort had been made to get Vaughn away from the Innisfails. Mr. Smith told me he had an application for employment from Vaughn and that Vaughn would be given work, but that there was no chance of his being allowed to play on the Robins team during the current season. Of course I can express no opinion of the matter until I am in full possession of the facts and I will start the investigation as soon as I receive the normal complaint from the management of the Innisfails."

The Robins' willingness to take Vaughn now and furnish him employment for a year before he can be used in a football game shows the keenness of competition for good players. Vaughn made a wonderful impression on the Scandinavian tour and could get good money for playing professional football on the northern rim of the continent if he wanted to go over there. The Robins evidently knew there would be a rush of offers for him at the end of the season and have forestalled their competitors by getting the player long before he can be eligible.

"Can't Live on Wind"—Vaughn.

Vaughn's case came before a recent meeting of the football league here. Vaughn frankly stated his case and said that he could not afford to be idle in St. Louis and that he was unable to find work to sustain him. A position awaited him in New York, he said, and he asked for his release. "I can't live on wind," he added.

Manager Foley of the Innisfails granted it reluctantly, fearing to keep a discontented player. The Innisfails as a team then held a meeting and asked Vaughn to hold the matter in abeyance until they as a body tried to obtain work for him here.

Billikens May Seek New Coach

St. Louis U. Officials Say Rademacher Will Return if Contract Is Offered.

St. Louis University athletic followers now are discussing the case of Charles M. Rademacher, Billiken football coach during the past four years. The athletic authorities of the Grand avenue school will meet next week to take up the matter and at this meeting Rademacher will be retained or a new leader will be named.

It has been officially stated that the local school officials believe that the former Chicago U. star will return to the Blue and White if he is tendered a contract. If such is the case, it is in direct opposition to his attitude during the middle of the past season, when many of the athlets refused to report for practice regularly and others refused to report at all.

Father Hermans, director of athletics, announced yesterday that work on filling the basketball schedule was under way. The Billiken court squad will have one trip which will take it to four large western cities. The itinerary will include games with Valparaiso University at Valparaiso, Ind.; Detroit University at Detroit, Loyola College at Chicago, St. John's University at Toledo and St. Ignatius' College at Cleveland.

The home schedule is not yet completed, only three minor games having been listed. Drury College of Springfield, Mo., the Rolla Miners and Greenfield (Ill.) College will call for games with Coach Callan's quintet. Of course there will be three games with Washington and probably a series with Concordia Seminary.

New Yorkers Take It for Granted That Dempsey Will Whip Brennan

Tremendous Attendance Expected Tuesday Night When Champion and Challenger Meet in Madison Square Garden—Six-day Bike Race Holds Down Newspaper Publicity.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—New York is generally a paradise for the press agent of sporting events, but the Madison Square Garden's chief of publicity is certainly letting the Dempsey-Brennan fight, scheduled to take place in the big arena next Tuesday night, take care of itself.

In spite of its neatness, and its importance from a pugilistic point of view, one would not learn from the New York papers that it is even in contemplation. The answer is that they are running a six-day bicycle race at the Garden, and it is a six-day gold mine, in this town of the six-day obsession. The publicity staff is too busy with the pedalers to bother about the boxers, so Dempsey plugs away at his training routine on the training ship Granite State, in the Hudson off Eighty-sixth street, and Brennan goes through his stunts daily at Grupp's gymnasium, with their doings altogether unchronicled.

Both men are fit, and the indications, which usually show whether or not a fight is going to draw, point to a tremendous attendance. The demand for free tickets from every point of the compass is unprecedented, and that is always pleasing to a promoter, for the demand for passes is the best barometer of public interest in the world.

All Expect Jack to Win.

There is little or no betting on the fight, the fans seeming to take it as a foregone conclusion that Dempsey will win. The majority of fight fans always expect a heavyweight champion to win up to the time he gets licked, and then calmly pass the cloak of invincibility on to his successor. But in this case for Brennan to take a licking will be merely a repetition of history, for Dempsey has walloped him before, and though heavyweight champions always get licked in the fullness of time, none has ever gone down before a man he has previously vanquished.

One of the odd tricks to get closeup seats revealed by this fight is for the applicant for tickets to demand good seats because he expects some distinguished person or another, whose presence would be a compliment to the club, to be his guest. Thus four separate applicants for seats for the Dempsey-Brennan mill have requested ringside accommodations because they expect to have "Big Bill" Edwards along as a guest.

Measurements of Boxers.

How the two men will stack up in the ring can be judged from their comparative measurements:

Dempsey.		Brennan.
25 years	Age	27 years
6 ft. 1¼ in.	Height	6 ft. 1¼ in.
190 pounds	Weight	190
78 in.	Reach	77 in.
15 in.	Biceps	15 in.
8 in.	Wrist	8 in.
17 in.	Neck	17 in.
39 in.	Chest (normal)	43 in.
44 in.	Chest (expanded)	45 in.
29 in.	Waist	30¼ in.
23 in.	Thigh	23 in.
18 in.	Calf	18 in.
8½	Ankle	8½ in.

WRAY'S COLUMN

Baseball's Wet or Dry Problem.

WHETHER organized baseball will vote wet or dry again, displacing the tentative "dry" ruling of last year, is one of the interesting subjects that will be decided at "baseball week" in New York, beginning Monday next, or at the joint consultation of all baseball heads in Chicago, next February. The "wets" are reported to be gaining ground daily.

Last winter baseball magnates, some of whom have been known to be damp clear to the gills, under certain conditions, voted a conditional "dry." That is to say, they voted to legislate out the "moist curve," i. e., the spitball, after tolerating one more season of it, just to get the clubs and their pitchers accustomed to the change.

However, the expectorant pitchers continued to be very moist and the limitation on their number last season put a big crimp in the hurling efficiency of certain clubs. This crimp indicated to managers that the total abolishment of all spitball hurling might mean the complete loss of several high-class stars, men who could not change their pitching styles as they change their coats.

In other words, if the one-year clause continues in force, hurlers like Coveleskie of the Indians, Shocker of the Browns, and other stars will be completely ruined and cannot be replaced by any talent now in sight, managers believe. Teams will thus be weakened and the pennant race impaired unless sickness or an accident cuts Willie down.

Horemans, the Belgian player, who is in the country seeking a match with Willie, will have to do something miraculous to beat the champion of champions, the Man o' War of the green cloth.

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The Case of Jack Britton.

WELTERWEIGHT fight title competition has for years afforded meager sport and has aroused but little interest among boxing fans. This year may mark the beginning of a new era. Jack Britton, the present incumbent, is now 32 years old and, although a wonderful campaigner, is inevitably nearing the turning point of efficiency. His immediate future is likely to be one of harrassment and perhaps defeat.

To begin with, Britton's ancient enemy and rival for the crown, Gershon Mendeloff (Ted Lewis) has returned from a campaign in England, where he cleaned England of its hope, Johnny Basham, in two contests.

In addition, three new claimants are ambitious to topple Britton—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion; Louis Bogash and Edouard Lacroix, who fights under the name of Young Denny.

Bogash is least known in this vicinity, Denny, Leonard and Lewis having all fought in St. Louis. Bogash is a New England boy who, according to the veteran critic, Billy Rocap, can both hit and box. He is aggressive and can take punishment. He is said to be modest and to hide his merit under a bushel—in which attitude he resembles other fighters as closely as a green elephant does a canary.

Denny, the heavy hitter, who takes on all comers, has agreed to do either the New York or the Louisiana welterweight limit for Britton and to meet him in either locality. They have already fought once with little to choose between them.

Britton has bad hands and is said to be seldom dangerous, except through his cleverness, while Denny fells heavyweights in his bouts.

Lewis, if he ever gets a fight with Britton—a doubtful matter, should be the most dangerous of the prospective opponents of Britton.

This competition, summed up above, comprises a better welterweight field than has existed for more than 20 years, and will no doubt furnish many good fights for promoters who put on the men.

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Repeal Vote Probable.

It is the prevailing view at this time that both leagues will vote to repeal the one-year limit and agree to continue in use all spitters who were permitted to operate under last year's conditions, barring only newly acquired hurlers.

Coveleskie, the greatest pitcher in baseball, last season, uses the spitter almost entirely instead of merely bluffing with it most of the time. Deprived of this asset, the Indians would not have won the world's title and perhaps not the league pennant.

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Hoppe Still Supreme.

WILLIE HOPPE'S several victories in successfully defending his title prove that the upcoming opposition is fully as far behind in the race as it was last year, and for several seasons before that. Cochran and Schaefer, the two young aspirants, at no time attained the quality of billiards needed to defeat Hoppe.

The first two nights of play did not show the champion to advantage; but Referee Peterson moved the powers in charge of the tourney to plug up the sources of drafts and other bogies that play pranks with sensitive and elastic ivory balls, to the end that on the final day Hoppe played almost up to his usual form. That is to say he defeated Schaefer in the afternoon contest with an average of 40 and high run of 239. Schaefer made only 54 points. In the evening he smothered Cochran, averaging 50.

This is strictly Hoppe's speed. On his annual exhibition tours, playing on all sorts of tables, for many thousands of points, he has averaged between 45 and 55 in various seasons.

As billiard expertness survives longer than almost any other form of competitive ability, Cochran and Schaefer are doomed to be second string men for a long time.

Central Tourney Limit May Keep Out St. Louisans

Population Rule Would Require an Entry of 14 Mound City Tenpin Teams.

There is one bowling association in the country which has rules that stipulate that any city to be eligible to compete must furnish one quintet for every 60,000 inhabits. This body is the Central States, which will stage its next tournament at Indianapolis early next January.

The officials of the association invited St. Louis to attend, but in order to be eligible 14 teams must compete. Four fives have already announced their intentions of rolling, but will not be able to do this unless 10 more are organized to make the trip. If the trip is made the St. Louisans can have the Jan. 8 and 9 dates, it is understood.

Chicago wanted to enter 50 teams in the Central States, but according to the rules is permitted only 40, so the officials had to turn down the entry from the extra quintets. This is the only tenpin association on records which has rules of this sort.

Gengler Out of Game.

John "Count" Gangler, who last season was Jimmy Smith's closest rival for honors at tenpin champion, is out of the game. Gengler injured himself just before the last A. B. C. tourney at Chicago and has not rolled since. At present he owns a string of race horses and intends to take them to Cuba this winter.

Krems Is Not Popular.

Bowlers from Chicago who competed here the last day of the Middle West tournament were pulling for someone to "knock off" Ed Krems as leader in the all-events. All agreed that Krems was a good little bowler, however.

About Bowling Champions.

Jimmy Smith, who is generally regarded as the world's champion among bowlers, up to a short time ago could not even write his own name, which, by the way, is not Smith at all, but something far different. Fred Smith for whim he works in Milwaukee for $225 a month and expenses is at present sending hom to night school. This came to light when Smith competed in the Midwest here recently.

GREGSON GIRLS WIN BASKETBALL CONTEST

The Gregson Girls' Basketball team defeated the Mullanphy Girls, 17 to 0, in a fast game at the Mullanphy Gym. The great defensive work of Thelma Sarles and Florence Ford was a factor in holding the Mullanphy team scoreless, while the accurate shooting and passing of Edna Bleicher, Lilly Bleicher and Margaret Ford enabled the Gregsons to run up a good lead. The Gregsons played minus the services of two of their stars, Sarah Martin, forward, and Frances Pfyle, guard. However, the Gregson team has a great reserve strength as is shown by the score. Leona Miller, another of the Gregson stars, did not get in the game.

The Gregsons won the city championship, under the name of the Ashlands in 1917-18 and 1918-19, and finished second to the Lafayette team last year after a hard series in the finals, and are practicing hard this year under the coaching of Manny Marting with the hopes of regaining the city championship.

JUNIOR MUNICIPAL COURT PLAYERS START SEASON

Four games were played in the opening of the junior division of the Municipal Basketball Association at the Armory last night. The games were well attended.

The results follow: Neighborhood A. C. 38, Mullanphys 32; Rock Church 47, St. Augustines 7; Bob Whites 25, Southwesterns 21; Prendergasts 62, Epsilon Eta 9.

Levinsky Loses on Foul.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 9.—Bob McCormick, light heavyweight champion of England, received the decision over Battling Levinsky of Philadelphia on a foul in the seventh round of a scheduled 10-round bout last night. Up to the seventh round McCormick had a slight shade. The foul was declared unintentional by Levinsky.

BOWLING NOTES

Harry Schaefer and Otto Stein Jr. will meet Sid Sherman and A. W. Wachter in a special two-man match on the Washington alleys at 3 p. m., today.

Sherman is a member of the famous Champion Spark Plug team of Toledo and one of the best bowlers of the country. Sherman shot eight perfect scores one afternoon in Buffalo. Wachter is a member of the Orange Crush team of this city.

The match will be the final workout for Stein and Schaefer before they bowl Jimmy Blouin and Phil Wolf of Chicago Saturday night in the first series of eight games of their intercity match. The contest will consist of 32 games total pins, 16 in St. Louis.

The final 16 games will be bowled in Chicago a week later. Schaefer and Stein are both bowling good pins at present. Stein got 636 in the major city league, while Schaefer defeated Hank Marino and J. de Vito during the Middle West tournament.

Otto Friendly and Syl Heibert will bowl the first five games of a 10-game total pin match with Fred Hager and J. Hubener at the Metropolitan alleys Saturday night. The final five games will be bowled at the Washington drives Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Friendly's southpaw team will bowl the Wellston Jewelrys a special three-game match Sunday afternoon at the Washington alleys.

The Washington individual sweepstakes will not be bowled Saturday night on account of the intercity two-man match which will be bowled on the alleys used for the sweepstakes.

SPORT SALAD

by L. C. Davis

BLUE LAWS.

THERE was a man in our town
Who rolled a cigarette;
A copper watched him with a frown
And for him spread a net.
No sooner had he struck a match
And lit the coffin nail,
They took him to the booby hatch
And held him without bail.

THERE was a man in our town,
And he was quite profane;
He said the stringent Sunday laws
Were giving him a pain.
For using violent language he
Was sentenced by the Judge,
Because a dozen witnesses
Had heard him say "Oh, fudge!"

THERE was a girl in our town,
And she was wondrous fair;
She bought herself the wedding gown
That she was due to wear.
But just when everything was cinched,
And she had caught a man,
Right at the altar she was pinched
For chewing yucatan.

CAMOUFLAGE.

Milwaukee has signed an outfielder named O'Mellilo. Come out of the spaghetti, O'Malley; we know you!

The courts having upheld the reserve clause in baseball players' contracts, there will be no leagues without reservations.

YES, IT WILL!

The proposition to increase the income tax of the $5000 boys and abolish the excess profit tax will make a big hit with the $5000 boys.

It is also proposed to put an additional tax of 5 cents a pound on snuff. That ought to help in a pinch.

An additional tax of 5 per cent on musical instruments is expected to yield $13,000,000. Always somebody picking on the ukulele.

Between the banjo, the guitar and the ukulele, Uncle Sam ought to have some pretty soft picking.

Not to mention the saxophones, clarinets and French horns, which ought to be of no inconsiderable assistance in raising the wind.

PASS THE DRUMSTICKS.

We take it the drum will also come under the head of musical instruments. Can you beat it?

There were 8000 divorces granted in Paris for the first half of 1920. If the second half does as well as the first half, it looks bad for the better half.

See where Mrs. Wilson showed Mrs. Harding through the White House. It is rumored that Mrs. Harding will refuse to move in unless Uncle Sam repapers the blue room.

Secretary Houston estimates the net cost of the war at $24,010,000,000. Too much. Any good Republican editorial writer could have pulled it off for half the money.

Cannefax to Play Layton for Title

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The fight for the national three-cushion billiard title today had narrowed down to a race between Robert Cannefax, title holder, and John Layton of St. Louis, former pocket billiard champion, and only recently an aspirant for honors in the angle game. The tournament ends tonight.

Layton today led the four players in the final championship round with a record of two games won and none lost and was scheduled to meet Cannefax tonight. Victory for Layton tonight will give him the title while Cannefax must win to even gain a tie for the championship, which includes a $1500 cash prize and a $2400-a-year salary. In case of a tie it will be played off tomorrow.

Layton has defeated Clarence Jackson of Kansas City and Augie Kieckhefer of Chicago, winning from the latter last night, 75 to 68. Cannefax, after beating Kieckhefer, lost a close game to Jackson and consequently can only tie for first place in the regular games.

There also is considerable of a mixup in the race for second place, which carries with it a prize of $1000 and a salary of $1000 for the next year. Kieckhefer plays Jackson this afternoon and a victory for the Chicagoan, and for Layton tonight, would leave Jackson, Cannefax and Kieckhefer tied for second, necessitating a playoff.

The standings before today's games:

	Won.	Lost.
Layton	2	0
Jackson	1	1
Cannefax	1	1
Kieckhefer	0	2

Former Giant Fielder Dies.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 9.—George Browne, for many years right fielder for the New York National League Club, died at his home in Hyde Park, near here, last night. Tuberculosis, from which he had been suffering for some time, was the cause of death. Browne was known as one of the fastest men in baseball. He played as "lead off" man with the championship Giant teams of 1904 and 1905, with high fielding and batting averages.

McKinley Quintet With 5 Veterans, Is Title Favorite

High School Basketball League to Open Season With 2 Games Tomorrow Night.

The interscholastic basketball season will open tomorrow night with two games on the Cleveland High School court. Cleveland meets Central in the preliminary match, and McKinley and Soldan play in the second game.

Of the four teams, the McKinley five looks the best, with five letter men of last year on the squad and three others of almost equal ability out for positions. The South Side school should have little difficulty in defeating Soldan, since the Gold and Brown five lost every member of last year's championship team by graduation.

Coach Schiek of McKinley will play Capt. Shillig at right forward, Schaefering at left forward, Anderwert at right guard, Wulfmeyer at left guard, and probably Dan Kinsey at center. The four first mentioned are letter men, while Kinsey was incapacitated for the greater part of last year by an injury suffered in a game early in the season. There is little doubt that Kinsey will hold down the center position permanently if a slight hurt suffered in football does not hamper his playing. He is an all-round athlete, being fullback of the eleven, and a member of the track team, and because of his build and speed should give any center in the circuit a good run.

McKinley Center a Veteran.

Shillig is an experienced player and a good shot. Schaefering, who is quarterback of the football team, is a wiry chap, and played good basketball last year. Anderwert will play center if Kinsey is unable to hold the job, in which case Hanley, also a letter man, will play his guard position. Alvis and Smith are capable players, and will be given opportunities to get in many games.

Coach Plag has had the task of building an entirely new team from inexperienced players. Fulton and Fischlowitz were substitutes last year and gave promise of becoming valuable assets this year, but both of them are on the injured list since the close of the football season.

Plag will probably use Hirsch, the Soldan fullback, as a mainstay, as he has shown great ability in practice games, and will call on members of the football squad to aid him. There are many youths out for the practice sessions, but besides Hirsch, few of them have shown interscholastic form.

Cleveland suffered equally with Soldan in the matter of players lost through graduation. The only letter man Coach Fenenga has is Bartel, forward. Cleveland was runnerup to Soldan last year, having lost but two games during the year, and those to the champions.

OAKLAND BOXERS MUST NOT BE DEPENDENT ON FIGHTING FOR A LIVING

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 9.—Boxers wishing to enter contests in Oakland will have to present credentials proving permanent means of support other than boxing, the City Council of Oakland announced today. The action follows the recent prohibition of all boxing bouts by the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco, where it developed that certain professional followers of boxing have been implicated in attacks on young women.

Little Rock Signs Land.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 9.—President Robert of the Little Rock Club of the Southern Baseball Association today announced that he had signed Catcher Grover Land, a former American Association catcher who played with Victoria, B. C., in the Pacific Northwestern League last year.

Cobb Offered Job As Tiger Manager

Ty Says He Will Accept Reins If Malcontents on Club Are Removed.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 9.—Frank J. Navin, president of the Detroit Americans, said last night that he might announce a decision on a new manager of the Tigers during the New York baseball meeting.

He expected to go over the matter there with Ty Cobb, he said. The Georgian, it is understood here, has an offer of the managership under consideration. Only minor details of the contract, it has been reported, are delaying Cobb's acceptance.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 9.—Tyrus Raymond Cobb, Detroit's star outfielder and slugger, today told a correspondent of the Post-Dispatch that he would accept the managership of the Tigers if given assurance that he would have a free rein and that certain malcontents on the club were removed.

Cobb said he would confer with President Navin next week and that if an agreement could be reached on the points mentioned he would be ready to take the managerial position.

Farnk J. Navin, president of the Tigers, may come here for a final conference with the Georgian or meet him at his Augusta, Ga., home on or before Dec. 15.

It was learned from authoritative sources that Jimmy Burke, former manager of the St. Louis Browns, and Clarence Rowland, ex-boss of the Chicago White Sox, are definitely eliminated from all consideration to boss the club.

CARDINAL BOSSES OFF TO ATTEND BASEBALL MEETING AT NEW YORK

President Sam Breadon and Manager Branch Rickey of the Cardinals will depart today for New York to attend the series of baseball meetings which begins in Gotham starting Saturday. Rickey and Breadon hope to close several deals for players now on the iron.

BROWNS TO TRAIN AT EITHER ALEXANDRIA, LA., OR GREENWOOD, MISS.

Secretary Bob Quinn of the Browns yesterday announced that the 1921 training sites for the Browns had been reduced to two prospects, Alexandria, La., or Greenwood, Miss. The latter town is the home of Pitcher Joe Deberry and its climatic conditions as well as its superior baseball grounds will probably result in its selection.

BLUMER OF WEBSTER TO CAPTAIN 1921 TIGERS

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 9.—Herbert Blumer of Webster Groves will captain the 1921 Missouri football team. The big Tiger tackle was elected by the letter men at a banquet in their honor here last night.

Blumer will play his third year wih the Tigers next fall. He has been a mainstay of the Missouri line for two years, and, in the opinion of many Missouri fans, failed to place on the All Valley eleven this year only because of injuries sustained in the Drake-Missouri game.

KENRICK FIVE TO PLAY SPARTA TEAM SATURDAY

Kenrick High School's basketball team will oppose the Sparta, Ill., High School quintet at the Kenrick gymnasium, Jefferson avenue and Stoddard street, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Sparta team was the only high school five able to take the local champions' measure last year. The game was played at Sparta and the Kenrick tossers, handicapped by the small size of the court, were defeated, 35 to 9.

Zbyszko Throws Taylor.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Stanislaus Zbyszko defeated Jack Taylor of Casper, Wyo., in their wrestling match here last night. Zbyszko won in straight falls.

Hoppe Averages 50 in Final of 18.2 Cue Tourney

Balk Line Champion Retains Honors, Going Through Title Play Undefeated.

HAS HIGH RUN OF 239

Willie Defeats Schaefer 400 to 54 and Cochran 400 to 144 in Concluding Matches.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Willie Hoppe clinched his holding of the 18.2 balk line championship crown last night. Wielding his cue in his inimitable way, he outplayed Welker Cochran by a score of 400 to 144 in the grand ballroom of the Hotel Astor in the final match. In the matinee contest Hoppe smothered Jake Schaefer by 400 to 54.

These victories brought the champion through the tournament undefeated. He also counted the highest average of the series, the figure of 50 which he made against Cochran last night, and the high run, his compilation of 239 counted against Schaefer in the afternoon. So far as the double round of battles was concerned in which Hoppe met each of his rivals twice, he came near to double discounting their combined total of points. Hoppe's grand total for the four matches is 1600 and Cochran and Schaefer made 2091 together, the former's total being 1123 and the latter's 968.

The scores follow:

Willie Hoppe—7, 7, 2, 3, 239, 16, 8, 0, 2, 72. Total, 400 points; average 40; high runs 239, 72 unfinished and 52.

Jake Schaefer—14, 5, 1, 0, 23, 3, 0, 4. Total, 54 points; average 6; high runs 23 and 14.

Referee—Charles Peterson.

Willie Hoppe—38, 105, 94, 1, 15, 66, 2, 22. Total, 400 points; average 50; high runs 105, 88 and 66.

Welker Cochran—6, 16, 32, 17, 65, 11, 7. Total 144; average 20 4-7; high runs 55, 32 and 17.

Referee—Charles Peterson.

The final standing:

	Won.	Lost.	Average.	High Run.
Hoppe	4	0	50	239
Cochran	1	3	21 1-19	32
Schaefer	1	3	22 4-18	173

CHINESE WOMEN LOOK ON AS CHINAMAN WINS FROM AMERICAN BOXER

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9.—George Lee of Salt Lake City, a Chinese bantam boxer, defeated Arthur Simons of New Orleans, last night in 10 rounds at Pilsbury's garden. There were 60 women present, many of them Chinese, it being the first time that any Chinese women had ever attended a fight in New Orleans.

Lee had the advantage in nine of the rounds.

RAY SMITH STOPPED BY CHARLEY WEINERT

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 9.—Charley Weinert, who is mentioned as a man to meet the winner of the Dempsey-Brennan bout, knocked out Lieut. Ray Smith, Camden, N. J., in the first round of their scheduled 12-round bout here, last night, the duration of the bout being 2 minutes, 8 seconds.

Smith was on the floor three times. Weinert displayed speed and terrific hitting power.

Weinert meets Bartley Madden Dec. 14 on the same card with Dempsey and Brennan and takes on big Jack Benedict at Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 17.

White Sox Sign Iowa Teacher

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., Dec. 9.—Peter Jorgenson, star pitcher of the Iowa State Teachers' College nine for several seasons and captain in 1919, has signed a contract with the Chicago White Sox and will join the team when it leaves for the Southern training camp next spring.

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MARKET HEAVY; U. S. STEEL SETS NEW LOW RECORD

Rails Also Down Several Points and Foreign Exchange Dull; Selling Is on Broad Scale.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"Today's stock market displayed a heavy tone all morning, and into the afternoon, all classes of stocks selling off and showing little strength on rallies. Selling was continuous and on a very broad scale, an unusual number of issues appeared on the tape. As the afternoon neared a close, many new low records for the year had been made, among which were United States Steel at 79⅝, showing a net list of 1¼ points from the day before. Southern Pacific broke par, selling for 99¼ or 1½ points down. Of the other rails, some of the more active issues showed losses of over 2 points. Money was at 7 per cent all day.

Exchange Market Dull.

"Dullness characterized the exchange markets. Sterling was firm, selling $3.44, or about yesterday's closing. Of the Continental Exchanges Denmark and B Norway continued strong, but the Greek market was demoralized. The drachma was reported to be practically unsalable, quotation around 7 cents being nominal. Silver broke more sharply than recently, the London price at 39¾ pence being 3¼ pence below that of yesterday, and the lowest since July 25, 1917. Heavy sales from China and the continent are reported.

"In the commodity markets, little of interest occurred. March wheat opened unchanged at $1.76 and after some fluctuation, sold early in the afternoon for $1.65. Cotton opened slightly firmer on a rally at Liverpool, but weakened later in the day, the March delivery selling at 15.87 cents or at last night's closing.

Bank of England Shows Recovery.

"As anticipated, the Bank of England statement shows a sharp recovery in reserve ratio, the week's figure being 9⅝ per cent, as compared with last week's low of 7⅞, and 11 5-6 for the week before. The recovery accentuates the temporary character of last week's decline, which was due to Government borrowings to meet maturing obligations. Circulation has now been reduced by $350,000 and total reserves increased by $4,700,000. Deposits are $83,000,000 less and holdings of Government securities have fallen by $64,000,000. Gold holdings once more increased, this time by $4,300,000. The statement is thus distinctly reassuring.

"Contraction, with increased reserves, is shown also by the Bank of France. Circulation is two-thirds of a billion francs less and gold holdings are three million francs greater. Government borrowings from the bank continued to remain unchanged. The Bank of Germany, on the other hand, after three weeks of improvement, has lapsed back into inflation, the week's increase in circulation of one and two-thirds billion marks carrying the total to a new high record.

"Too Simple Remedies Sought."

"Evidently there are those who still believe that quick and simple cures may be had for great diseases, and that we can as a nation lift ourselves, in the economic sense, by our boot straps. The resolution introduced in Congress yesterday providing for a postponement of Dec. 15 tax payments must cause thoughtful persons the gravest alarm, because, if passed, a huge increase of the floating debt becomes a necessity, and the Treasury certificates that would have to be issued would congest the money market, increase inflation and seriously postpone the day when a real revival of business con begin.

"Similarly the demands of farmers for 'immediate relief from the present economic crisis' betrays a simple trust in Government. The relief asked would take the form of a further manufacture of credit by the Federal Reserve system, which simply would mean further inflation and postponement of revival. Individuals and groups facing losses naturally will go to any ends to avoid them; but the general public and those who hope for an early revival of business should have clearly in mind that the wise policy is to gulp down our medicine bravely and not keep begging for postponements."

Chicago Stock Sales

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Following is a report of today's sales, high, low and closing quotations at the Chicago Stock Exchange:

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
1,400	Arm&Co pfd	88	87	87½
2,750	Armour Lea	13½	13	13
200	Arm Lea pfd	92⅝	92¼	92¼
185	Beaverb pfd	68	68	68
25	Booth Fish	4	4	4
340	Booth F pfd	25¼	25	25¼
1,075	Briscoe Mot.	9½	9	9½
[illegible]	Case Plow	6½	6½	6½
[illegible]	Chi C&CR pf	5⅛	5	5
450	Cudahy	61⅝	60	60
[illegible]	Com Edison	102	101½	102
[illegible]	Con Motors	6⅜	6¼	6¼
[illegible]	Elder Corp	15	15	15
25	Diamond M	99	99	99
[illegible]	G Lakes Dr	65	64	64
[illegible]	Emer Br	7¼	7	7¼
[illegible]	H S & M	65	65	65
[illegible]	Ill Brick	68½	64	64
[illegible]	Hupp Motor	10½	10¼	10¼
[illegible]	Libby-McNeil	12⅝	12	12¾
[illegible]	Lindsay L	6⅝	6¼	6¼
[illegible]	Mitchell M	5⅝	5	5
27	Mont Ward	16	15¼	15¼
3,275	Nat Leather	8⅝	8¼	8⅜
25	Peo Gas	39	39	39
50	Pick & Co	23½	23½	23½
615	Pig Wig "A"	13	12	13
25	Pub S pfd	83	83	83
100	Quak O pfd	87	87	87
1,175	Reo Motor	21½	20½	20⅝
[illegible]	Sears-Roe	102	99½	101
[illegible]	Shaw (W.W.)	64	63	63½
[illegible]	Stewart-W	28¼	27	27⅝
[illegible]	Swift & Co	104¾	103⅜	104⅛
[illegible]	Swift Int'l	26½	26	26
[illegible]	Thomp (J.R.)	23½	23	23⅜
[illegible]	Temtor C A	35	33	33
[illegible]	Union C & C	50⅜	49⅛	49⅜
1,400	United I W	13½	12¾	13¼
[illegible]	Wahl	41	40	41
[illegible]	W. Knitting	9½	9⅝	9⅝
75	Wrigley	71½	71	71½

Total sales, 32,000 shares.

Bar Silver.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Domestic, 99½c; foreign, 60⅝c. Mexican dollars, 46⅛c.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Bar silver, 39¾d per ounce. Money, 4¾ per cent. Discount rates—Short bills, 6⅛@6⅝ per cent; three-month bills, 6 11-16 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Total sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were 969,200 shares, compared with 867,000 yesterday. Sales to 2 p. m. were 756,800.

Following is a list of today's sales on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low, closing prices and the net changes for the day:

Industrials.

STOCKS.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'g.
Am B S	600	53	52	52¼	—¼
Am Can c	3,000	25½	24¾	25	—½
do pfd	2,600	79¾	79	79¼	—½
AG&WI	7,500	109½	107¼	108⅛	—2⅝
Al Ch c	2,200	30½	30	30	—1
do pfd	400	73	72¼	73	—1¼
Am Ice	300	42	41¼	42	•½
AH&L pf	300	47½	47¼	47¼	—1
Am Wool	7,500	71½	69¾	70¼	—1⅝
Am Sugar	4,700	91	89⅝	90⅛	—⅛
Am Sum	2,600	70¾	69	69	—2⅛
do pfd	100	84	....	84	—1
Adv Rum	500	15¼	15½	15½	•¼
A L O c	500	55¼	55	55¼	—4¼
Am Tob	300	116	115¾	115	—½
do B	400	112¼	112	112	—1
AmWP p	300	36½	....	36½	....
Adams E	200	29¾	28	29¼	•2¼
Am Exp	300	117½	117¼	117¼	—¾
Ajax Rub	1,500	31	29¼	29¼	—2
AlCh WI	2,400	49½	47⅝	47¾	—2¼
do p WI	100	87	....	87	—1
Am Ag C	4,900	56⅝	52	53⅝	—1⅛
do pfd	300	80½	80	80	—⅞
Am B N	600	44	....	44	—½
Am B M	3,000	62⅜	60	62⅜	—⅝
Am C O	700	18¾	17⅞	17⅞	—¾
do pfd	100	63½	....	63½	—1½
Am D Sy	2,200	7½	7½	7½	—⅝
Am In C	4,600	40¾	39¾	40	—½
A T & T	1,100	98¾	98½	98⅝	....
Ass Rlty	200	2⅞	2¾	2¾	....
Ass D G	1,500	21	20¾	21	....
do 1st pf	100	53	....	53	—1½
Am SR c	1,200	9¾	9	9½	—½
A S & CC	5,900	9¾	9¼	9¾	•½
Atl Fruit	1,100	9⅞	9⅛	9⅞	—½
A L F ct	300	9¼	9¼	9¼	....
Aut Sales					
Cor pfd	300	10	....	10	—⅛
Austin N	100	12½	....	12½	—½
Atlas Tk	400	18⅝	....	18⅝	—1⅛
Bar A ctf	200	36	....	36	....
do B	100	36	....	36	....
Barrett Co	200	115	....	115	—1½
Booth F	600	3⅞	3⅝	3¾	—⅛
Brk U Gas	100	55	....	55	....
Brunsw	200	4½	....	4½	—¼
Bruns Br	400	84½	84	84	—1½
Butterick	200	10½	....	10½	—½
Caddo Oil	500	15	14¾	14¾	—⅝
Cal Pkg	600	62	61½	62	—1
Cal Pet	900	22¼	21½	21½	—2¾
JI Case pf	100	83	....	83	....
Case Plow	100	6½	....	6½	—⅛
Cent Lea	1,900	38¼	38	38	—¾
Chandler	10,500	75½	73¾	74¾	—1¼
Ch Pn T	2,900	67⅞	67⅛	67⅞	•1⅛
Col Graph	5,300	13	12¾	12¾	—¼
Coca-C ctf	1,500	22	21½	21½	—½
Cluett-P	1,400	51¾	50	50	—2
do pfd	300	87½	87	87	—1
Col G & E	700	55¾	55	55½	—½
Comp T R	300	38	....	38	—1⅛
Con Cig pf	300	75¼	....	75¼	—½
Cons Gas	300	79¾	79	79	—1½
Con I C M	700	7¼	7	7¼	•½
Cont Can	800	62½	62	62	—2⅝
Corn Prod	19,600	68	65	66¼	—2½
do pfd	1,500	99	98½	98¾	—1¾
Cub C Sl	3,700	23	21⅞	21⅞	—⅝
do pfd	900	67¾	67¼	67¾	—¾
Cub-Am S	1,200	30½	30¾	30¾	—¾
Con Candy	900	5½	5¼	5¼	—¼
Cosden ct	2,500	31	30	30¼	—1⅛
Cons T ctl	200	19¼	....	19¼	—⅛
Dav Chem	200	30½	30	30	—½
Durham ct	100	36½	....	36½	—1½
Emer-Br	100	6	....	6	—1½
End-John	2,000	55½	54¾	55½	—½
do pfd	200	89	88⅝	89	....
Elkhorn	300	18	17½	17½	....
Fairbanks	100	42	....	42	—3
Fam P-L	700	54	52½	53	—½
do pfd	400	75¼	74	74	—3
Fisk Rub	2,500	11¼	10½	11⅛	—⅛
Freeport	800	15¾	15¼	15¼	—⅝
GW&WI	4,500	2¼	2	2	—⅛
Gen Cig	600	55½	55¼	55¼	—½
do deb p	200	83	82½	83	—½
Guan Sug	200	15¾	....	15¾	....
Gen Elec	4,500	120¼	118	118¾	—1⅝
Gen Mot	18,100	15¼	14¾	14¾	—⅝
do pfd	100	71½	....	71½	—1
do rts	4,200	4	3⅜	3⅝	—⅜
Good Rub	2,200	42	....	40½	—1½
do pfd	100	78½	....	78½	....
G & D ctf	100	11½	....	11½	....
Hous Oil	700	81½	81¼	81½	—1½
Hendee	500	15¾	15½	15¾	—⅛
Hupp Mo	700	10⅝	10¼	10⅜	—⅜
Int Mot	3,700	31	28½	28½	—1½
do 1st pf	100	70¼	....	70¼	•1
Int Agc	200	11¼	11¼	11¼	....
do pfd	800	47¾	46	46	—2¾
Int Cons	2,200	3¾	3⅝	3⅝	....
do pfd	1,700	9¼	8⅝	9	—⅝
Int Harv	800	98½	97⅝	97⅝	—⅛
do pfd	200	103	102½	102⅝	—¾
Int M M	1,400	14¼	13	13½	—1
do pfd	7,300	52⅝	50¼	51	—1⅝
Int Paper	2,900	49	48	48	....
Invin Oil	4,100	22¼	22	22¾	—⅛
Indian ctf	600	6¾	6¾	6¾	—⅛
Island Oil	7,100	5¼	4⅞	5	—⅛
Jewel Tea	400	3½	....	3½	—⅛
do pfd	300	9	8¼	8¼	—¾
Jones Br	200	16½	16	16	—⅝
Kelly T	2,800	39	37⅝	37⅝	—2⅜
Keys T	3,500	7½	7¼	7¼	—⅜
Lee Rub	1,100	18	17¼	17⅝	—⅛
L&M B	200	140½	....	140½	•2½
Loose-W	100	29½	....	29½	....
Lorillard	300	131	....	131	—3
do pfd	100	100¼	....	100¼	•
Loft ctfs	1,200	10½	10	10½	•
Loew's ctf	800	17¼	17	17¼	•
Laclede G	200	41	40¼	40½	—1
Macyay C	100	57¾	....	57¾	....
Manlti Su	100	72	....	72	—1
Mar-Par C	100	13	....	13	....
Maxwell	400	2½	....	2½	....
Mex Pet	29,000	167¼	162	163¾	—4¾
Mullins C	800	22¼	20¼	21¼	—1¾
Mon Pow pf	100	95¼	....	95¼	....
aMn Shirt	100	16¾	....	16¾	....
Mid St Oil	5,700	13¼	12¼	12¼	—⅛
Mot Ward	2,800	18	14⅜	15¾	—⅛
Nat Anine	200	51	50⅝	51	—¼
Nat Acme	300	28⅝	28⅝	28¾	—⅛
N C & S	300	28	27¼	27¼	—¾
do pfd	100	67½	....	67¼	—3¼
Nat Con	600	3⅞	3½	3½	—⅛
N E & S	1,100	50	49	49	—2
do pfd	200	90	....	90	—2
N Y Air	500	83	82½	83	....
NY Dock	100	19	....	19	—1
No Am	400	51¼	51	51	—1
Nun ctf	100	12	....	12	—1½
Nat Bis	1,800	103½	99	99	—5
Ok P & R	1,800	3½	5⅜	5⅝	....
Ow BotM	100	49½	....	49½	—½
O B & B	100	10	....	10	—½
Orph ctf	300	26⅛	....	26⅛	—½
Pac D C	1,500	17	15	16⅞	—1¼
P G & E	300	47⅜	47¼	47¼	—½
Pac T&T	100	38	....	38	—1
Pan-A P	11,100	79¼	77½	78¼	—1½
do pfd	2,400	73¼	71⅝	72¾	—2
Peo Gas	7,300	40½	37	38	—2½
Par-Bing	1,400	15⅜	15	15	—1¼
Phila Co	600	35	34½	34½	—½
Pierce Ar	4,200	20¾	19¾	20⅞	•⅛
do pfd	1,200	71⅝	68	71⅝	•3⅝
Pierce Oil	800	11⅞	11½	11⅞	—⅛
do pfd	400	79½	79	79	....
Pitts Coal	400	59½	58	58	....
do pfd	100	85½	....	85¾	—¼
Pk Ck C	300	13½	12¾	12⅝	—⅝
Pub S NJ	100	58	....	58	....
Pun Are S	2,900	51½	50	50½	—⅝
Phil ePt	1,000	31½	31¼	31⅛	—⅝
Pac O w l	4,100	38⅝	37⅛	38	—⅝
Pu O ctf	4,800	33¼	32¾	33	—1
Reis ctf	600	9	....	9	—1½
do pfd	100	66¼	....	66¼	•½
Rem T	500	33¼	32	33	—1½
Rep M T	4,200	19½	16¼	19¼	•1½
RDC NY	4,000	65	63	64¾	•¾
Sav Arms	100	15	....	15	—1
Sax M C	1,200	3½	....	3½	....
Sears-R	3,300	102¾	100½	101	—2
do pfd	800	103	102½	102½	—½
Sinclair O	16,600	25	24¾	25	—½
So PRSug	200	102	....	102	•1½
Sh Tr Co	300	41¼	41¼	41¼	—⅞
Stromb	2,600	32	29½	29¾	—5⅝
Studeb	16,700	43⅞	42	42⅝	—1⅝
do pfd	700	79	76	77	—3
Sub Boat	2,600	9½	9⅝	9⅝	—¼
Sup O ct	800	12	11⅝	11⅝	....
StWSM	500	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	—⅝
SO of NJ	.....	624	621	621	—4
do pfd	500	104	103⅞	104	—⅛
TPC&O	21,700	37½	34	35¾	—1¼
T Oil rts	2,000	13⅝	13	13	—⅞
Texas Co	28,000	49¾	48	48⅛	—2
Tob Prod	1,600	52⅞	50½	52	—⅞
Tr C Oil	2,100	9	8½	9	•¼
Un T pfd	100	103¼	....	103¼	—1¾
Union Oil	4,200	21¾	21	21¾	•¼
Uni D S	200	100	....	100	....
Uni Fr C	1,000	199	197¼	197¼	—¾
U S F P	8,000	21¼	20	20⅝	—⅝
U S I Al	7,500	67½	66⅛	67	—⅜
U S Realty	800	41⅝	41¼	41¼	—1¼
U S Rub	8,600	66¼	64½	65	—1
Un Ret St	6,700	56	54	55	—1¼
Va-Car C	2,400	36¼	34⅛	36⅛	....
Van ctfs	4,800	41⅝	39¼	41	•¼
Vivaudou	500	9	8⅞	9	....
White Oil	5,100	17½	16⅛	16⅛	—⅞
W-Far Ex	400	50	....	50	....
West U	200	86½	....	86½	—½
West El	1,000	42¼	41⅞	42	....
West A B	300	96½	95½	95½	—1⅜
White M C	10,300	34½	31⅛	33	....
Wilson	1,700	40⅛	38½	39	—1
Wil-Ov	9,200	5⅞	5½	5⅞	—⅛
do pfd	1,400	31½	30¼	31	•⅜
Worth P	500	45⅝	44	44	—1⅛

Metals and Equipments.

STOCKS.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'g.
Alaska G	800	1⅛	....	1⅛	....
Alaska J	2,300	1¼	1⅛	1¼	....
A C & F	4,500	125¼	124	125	—¼
Am Loco	3,600	84¼	82⅛	82⅛	—2⅜
Am Sm	3,900	44½	43½	43½	—1⅛
do pfd	100	86	....	86	•⅛
Am S F	1,300	33⅜	33	33	—⅝
do pfd	100	83	....	83	—1
Am Zinc	1,700	7¼	6¾	7¼	•¼
do pfd	800	27	25½	27	....
Anac Cop	5,400	38⅞	38⅜	38½	—⅛
Bald Loco	29,900	94	90⅜	91⅜	—2¼
do pfd	400	94½	....	94½	—½
Bat Min	500	¾	....	¾	....
Beth S B	7,400	53¾	52⅝	53¼	—1
Beth Mot	600	2¾	....	2¾	....
Butte Cop	700	5⅛	5	5⅛	....
Butte & S	1,600	10⅛	9¾	10	—¼
Chile Cop	13,400	8⅞	8⅝	8¾	—¼
Chino Cp	2,700	18⅝	18⅜	18⅝	•⅛
Colo F & I	100	29½	....	29½	—½
Cru Stl	16,900	90¾	88	89½	—1⅛
do pfd	300	85½	85⅜	85⅜	•¾
C C Corp	2,900	26	25	25½	—⅜
Dome M	700	11	10¾	10¾	—¼
Fed M&S	100	6	....	6	....
do pfd	300	27¼	27	27	—1
Granby M	300	18½	....	18½	—1
GNO ctfs	2,500	28⅛	25¾	26⅞	—1¼
Greene C	600	20½	20¼	20¼	....
Gulf St Stl	700	33	31⅞	32	—1
Has & B	1,100	57	55⅝	55¾	—1¼
Hyd Stl	300	19½	19	19½	—1
Insp C	2,800	32¼	31⅝	31⅝	—¾
Int Nick	10,300	14⅛	13⅞	13¼	—¾
Ken Cop	5,400	18¼	18	18	—⅜
Lack Stl	1,700	54	53¼	53⅜	—¼
Miami Cop	400	15⅝	15½	15¼	—½
Midv Stl	10,500	31⅝	31⅛	31⅜	—¼
Nat Lead	100	72¼	....	72¼	•¼
Nev Cons	4,300	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	—¼
N S S & C	200	36	....	36	—1
Otis Stl	1,800	14¾	14½	14½	—⅝
Ont Sil	100	4	....	4	—¼
Pa Seab	800	9	8½	8⅝	—⅛
Presed Stl	400	82⅞	80½	81	—2
Pullman	300	102⅞	102¼	102½	—½
Ry Stl Sp	700	85	84½	84½	—⅝
Ray Cons	1,300	12	11⅝	11⅝	—½
R Stl ctf	1,100	72	69½	72	•1¼
R I & S	6,800	66⅝	65½	66⅛	—½
do pfd	400	91	90	90⅛	—⅞
†S J Lead	300	12¾	12¼	12½	—⅞
Sen Cop	400	17¾	17⅝	17¾	—¼
Sloss-S	100	51½	....	51½	—1
do pfd	100	82½	....	82½	....
Sup Steel	100	43¾	....	43¾	—¼
Shat A C	700	5½	5⅜	5½	....
St & T pf	100	81	....	81	....
Tenn C-C	1,700	7⅞	7¾	7⅞	•½
T-WSt F	500	39⅞	38¾	38¾	—1⅛
Uni A S	1,300	32¼	32	32	—¼
U S CIP	600	12¼	12	12¼	....
do pfd	100	42	....	42	•⅜
U S Sm	1,900	32½	31½	31⅞	—⅜
U S Steel	51,200	80⅝	79⅝	80¼	—⅝
do pfd	2,200	107	106½	107	•½
Utah Cop	4,300	51⅛	50⅝	51	—⅝
Utah Sec	100	9½	....	9½	—⅝

Railroads.

STOCKS.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'g.
AT & SF	3,600	82⅜	82¼	82¼	—⅜
do pfd	700	75¾	75½	75½	—¼
Atl B&A	600	6½	6	6½	•¼
A C L	500	87½	86¼	87½	—½
B R T	700	10⅜	10	10	—⅛
do ctf	500	6½	6⅜	6⅜	—⅛
B & O	4,200	37¼	35⅞	36¼	—½
do pfd	1,000	49½	49	49	—⅝
Can Pac	8,000	115½	113	113⅞	—1⅝
C & A	2,700	62⅞	61½	61½	—1
C G W	1,400	7⅞	7½	7½	—¼
do pfd	2,300	18⅝	17⅞	18	....
CM & StP	2,600	30½	30	30¼	—½
do pfd	900	49⅝	48½	48½	—1½
C & N W	3,300	73⅝	71	71	—3
do pfd	100	110½	....	110½	•¾
CRI & P	4,200	29¼	28½	28⅝	—⅝
do7 pc pf	600	77	76½	77	....
do6 pc pf	400	66	65½	65½	—⅝
CCC&SLpf	100	65½	....	65	—½
Col & So	600	28⅛	28	28	—¾
D L & W	300	215½	214½	214½	—½
D & R G	300	⅞	....	⅞	—⅛
do pfd	4,600	1½	1	1½	•⅛
DSS & A	100	3½	....	3½	—½
do pfd	300	6	5⅝	5⅝	—2⅞
Erie	5,000	14	13¾	13¾	—⅜
do 1 pfd	2,100	20¾	20⅛	20¼	—½
do 2 pfd	200	14¼	14	14	....
GM&N pf	100	23½	....	23½	—½
G Nor pfd	2,600	78⅛	77	77½	—1
Ill Cent	500	88	87	87⅞	....
K C S	2,800	20	19	19⅝	•½
do pfd	900	45¾	45⅜	45⅜	—⅝
LE&W pfd	300	27	....	27	—1
Lehigh V	1,800	52	51	51¼	—1¼
L & N	1,400	100¼	100	100	—⅞
M&StL nw	1,300	12⅝	12	12	—½
M K & T	500	3½	3	3	—½
do pfd	800	5	4	4	—1⅛
Mo Pac	4,900	20	19	19¼	—⅝
do pfd	1,200	41⅜	40⅛	40⅜	—1¼
Man El G	200	51	....	51	....
NRRM 2p	100	5½	....	5½	—⅝
NOT & M	200	62	....	62	....
N Y Cent	3,800	73⅝	72⅛	72⅝	—¾
NYC&StL	800	52¾	52	52	....
NYNH&H	9,800	19⅞	18¼	18⅜	—¼
NYO & W	300	17¾	17¼	17¼	—¾
N & S	20	13¼	....	13¼	—¾
N & W	4,100	100⅛	98	98¾	—1¼
do pfd	100	66½	....	66½	—½
Nor Pac	5,000	83⅜	80⅞	81½	—1½
Penn	5,700	40¾	40¼	40¼	—¼
Pere Mar	1,900	18	17⅝	17⅝	—⅜
Peor & E	100	10⅞	....	10⅞	—1⅛
P&WVa	1,800	32	31¼	32	•⅜
Reading	28,700	90	86¾	86⅞	—2½
do 1st p	500	56	55½	55⅜	—1
do 2d pf	3,200	59½	58	59	—½
SL&SF	1,700	23½	22⅛	22⅞	—⅜
StLSW	2,100	20	24⅜	25⅛	—1⅜
do pfd	200	38	....	38	....
Sou Ry	11,200	23⅛	21¾	22	—1¼
do pfd	700	59¼	58	58	—1¼
Sou Pac	51,100	101½	99½	99½	—1¼
do rts	31,100	23½	22⅜	23¼	....
Sea A L	200	6½	....	6½	—⅛
do pfd	400	11⅞	11⅛	11⅛	—⅞
Tex & P	1,700	19¼	18½	18½	—1½
Un Pac	4,200	118⅛	117	117¾	—½
do pfd	300	64	....	64	....
Un R In	200	10	....	10	....
do pfd	700	21½	20¼	20¼	•—2½
Wabash	1,100	8	....	8	—⅛
do pf A	2,900	23	21½	22⅛	—⅜
West Md	1,400	11⅛	10½	10⅝	—⅝
do 2d pf	200	17¼	17	17¼	—¼
West P	1,100	31	29	29	—2
do pfd	100	71½	....	71½	—1½
W & L E	900	9⅞	9¾	9¾	—⅛
do pfd	100	18	....	18	—½

•Increase. —Decrease. ....Unchanged.
†Ex-dividend.
NOTE—Stocks quoted in the table are common stocks unless they carry the abbreviation "pfd." or are specified "rts" or "ctfs."

Wall Street News and Comment

—SPECIAL DAILY—

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—For the greater part of the Stock Exchange session the market continued under pressure and prices went lower with pronounced weakness in numerous specialties. There were quite a few stocks which made new low records for the year. There were many others which drew close to their previous low points in the third week of November. Still, there was this important difference between the market today and that of three weeks ago—the volume of business as prices went down was very much less. In other words, there was no repetition of the enormous selling wave which had overwhelmed the market in the November decline. Prices yielded more because the buying power was weaker, or rather because there was no effective support attempted than because the selling was heavy.

Weakness continued in some of the motors and motor accessories shares. White Motors felt the effect of intimations that the distribution to shareholders would be reduced in order to equalize the proposed reduction in wages to the company's employes. The Studebaker issues were offered down sharply. Baldwin Locomotive made a new low for the year and this influenced sympathetic selling in the other equipments. American Sugar was the most sensitive of the sugar group. Mexican Petroleum continued the reaction which started with the announcement that stockholders are still being offered Pan-American B on a two-for-one basis, which makes the recent selling prices of Mexican Petroleum too high. The market took unfavorably the declaration of the American Agricultural Chemical dividend in new stock instead of cash and the shares of the company fell swiftly. The tobacco stocks and the shipping group were other weak points, and Corn Products was the particular sore spot among the food shares.

Railway stocks ware quite as weak as individuals, and the half-priced dividend-paying rails went down quite as readily as the low-priced speculative issues. The latter have now lost substantially all the gain made during the three months following the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission granting the rate increase.

There was very little change in the money situation. The 7 per cent rate on call loan renewals was maintained, but there was rather freer supply of new money. Sterling was fractionally lower, but operations were of less consequence than usual and the market for continental bills was likewise featureless. Greek exchange had a further slump, reflecting the uncertain political conditions in that country.

The daily budget of trade news was quite as unfavorable as it has been at any time, but this was to be expected. Along with the action of the American Agricultural Chemical in paying its dividend in stock instead of cash and along with the notification by the White Motors Co. that reduction in dividends was to be expected, there came the news of an impending heavy cut in wages in the New England textile mills and the announcement that the Emerson Phonograhp Co. has been placed in the hands of a receiver. Steel common, the Mexican oils, the Pierce-Arrows, Rubber and Texas Coal and Oil took the lead in the recovery in the last hour, but in many other parts the list looked to be over-sold.

White Motors.

The selling which forced White Motors into new low ground yesterday and again today was based entirely on a statement made in a circular sent to employes by the vice president in charge of production. In this circular the workers are told that the hours of work will be reduced 10 per cent in January.

The Bond Market.

Weakness in issues of the speculative or semi-speculative class and firmness in standard investments were the characteristics of the bond market today. The Government group held up well. Liberty Bonds worked lower in the afternoon, starting in somewhat higher, but their loss was unimportant. United Kingdom issues, French 8s and Swiss 8s were all unchanged. So were the Swiss municipals. Mexican Government 4s were off a point at 34.

That the demand for new high-grade investments has not abated in consequence of the disturbed financial and business conditions was shown again today in the prompt success attending the offering of the $4,000,000 Fleichman notes. These notes run for 10 years and carry an interest rate of 8 per cent. They also have the attractive sinking fund feature providing for their annual retirement to an amount that will cancel by the time of maturity 43 per cent of the notes outstanding. Bankers handling he transaction reported that soon after the opening of the subscription books this morning they were turning would-be investors away.

The decline in Interborough Rapid Transit 5s was not renewed. Third Avenue adjustment 5s were steadier around 26½, but did not rally. Railway bonds were heavy except for issues of the first rank. The convertibles generally followed the course of their respective stocks, although Erie A's at 38 were not as weak relatively as the Erie stocks.

Mexican Petroleum.

The continued slump in the Mexican oil stocks was blamed today on the dividend action taken by the Pan-American directors yesterday when they failed to increase the dividend from $6 to $8. A further reason for the break in Mexican Petroleum was found in the offer of two shares of Pan-American B for one of Mexican Petroleum. This in some quarters was taken to mean that the insiders in Mexican Petroleum considered the stock had been selling too high, because to make the switch would have meant at the recently prevailing prices a loss something like 20 points.

Norfolk & Western.

A story which is being circulated about Norfolk & Western is to the effect that the company plans to segregate its coal properties and that the road will be taken over by the Pennsylvania, which will guarantee a $7 dividend. The Pennsylvania Lines, west of Pittsburg, have a large block of Norfolk & Western, and the Frick estate is another large holder. There was a belief in some quarters that the Frick estate holdings were being liquidated, but in others it was felt that some agreement might have been reached whereby this stock would not be pressed for sale at this time. The Norfolk & Western coal holdings are exceedingly profitable, but are covered by a 4-per cent bond. However, it is estimated that the value of these properties has increased greatly from the figure at which they are represented by the bonds.

Big Rail Demand.

Steel men are looking forward to 1921 to bring forth an unprecedented demand for steel rails. It is believed that this demand will offset to a large extent the falling off of other sources of consumption. However, the situation at the present time is one which is worrying the industry. The Steel Corporation, according to those who make a study of conditions, is operating at approximately as heavy a rate as at any time in the recent past, while the independents are operating at something like 50 per cent on an average, there being a wide divergence. Several plants are practically idle, others are operating at 40 to 60 per cent, and a few others are doing 75 per cent or better. Independent operations are decreasing and by the end of the year are expected to be materially lighter than now. It is said that it is not the price of steel which is standing in the way. The main thing is that the country is not yet ready to take steel in large quantities.

NEW YORK BONDS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Total sales of bonds on the Stock Exchange today were $15,957,000, against $16,772,000 yesterday, $12,384,000 a week ago, $26,934,000 a year ago and $10,868,000 two years ago. From Jan. 1 to date, $3,569,789,000, against $3,387,682,000 a year ago and $1,846,072,000 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of bond sales today. Total sales of each security and the high and low prices are given:

(In $1000.)

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sales.	Bond.	High.		Low.
918	U S Liberty 3½s reg.	90.40	to	90.20
1	U S Liberty 1st 4s reg.	85.80		
17	U S Liberty 2d 4s	85.60	to	85.40
135	U S Lib 1st 4¼s	86.40	to	86.10
1893	U S Lib 3d 4¼s	85.90	to	85.30
100	U S Lib 3d 4¼s reg.	88.00		
1509	U S Lib 3d 4¼s	88.38	to	88.00
4882	U S Lib 4th 4¼s	86.10	to	85.70
1162	U S Vic 4¾s	95.58	to	95.38
736	U S Vic 3¾s	95.56	to	95.40

FOREIGN BONDS.

Sales.	Bond.	High.		Low.
55	Belgium 7½s	97¾	to	97
6	Belgium 6s, 1925	91½	to	90¼
7	Chinese Govt Rys 5s	42		
6	City of Berne 8s	95⅜	to	95
15	City of Copenhagen 5½s	72¾	to	72½
1	City of Lyons 6s	79⅞		
6	City of Christiania 8s	97	to	96½
25	City of Paris 6s	94	to	93¾
17	City of Zurich 8s	95⅝	to	95½
15	D of Can 5½ notes '21	98⅞		
27	D of Can 5½ notes '29	90¼	to	89¼
10	Dom of Can 5s, 1921	99¾		
2	Dom of Can 5s, 1926	90⅝		
1	Dom of Can 5s, 1931	89⅝		
127	French Gov't 8s	100½	to	100¼
95	Imp Japan 1st 4½s	75¾	to	75½
25	Imp Japan 2d 4½s	75¼		
4	Imp Japan ster loan 4s	57¼	to	56⅝
5	K'm of Italy 6½s ser A 1925	85		
1	Rep of Cuba 5s, 1904	77		
70	Swiss Government 8s	102¼	to	102
32	U K G B & I 5½s 1921	98		
15	U K G B & I 5½s 1922	95	to	94¾
128	U K G B & I 5½s 1929	88¾	to	88⅝
88	U K G B & I 5½s 1937	83⅝	to	83
21	U S of Mexico 5s	44	to	43½
8	U S of Mexico 4s	34⅛		

MUNICIPAL BONDS.

Sales.	Bond.	Price.
1	N Y City 4½s 1957 May	91
2	N Y City 4½s 1957 Nov.	91
3	N Y City 4¼s, 1960	86½
1	N Y C 3½s, 1954, Nov	74

RAILWAYS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Sales.	Bond.	High.		Low.
2	Adams Ex col tr 4s	56	to	55½
55	Amer Smelting 5s	75	to	74¾
71	Amer T & T cvt 6s	94½	to	94¼
151	Amer T & T col tr 5s	77½	to	77
1	Amer T & T cvt 4½s	82		
1	Amer T & T cvt 4s	65		
18	Amer T & T col 4s	75		
10	Armour & Co r est 4½s	75		
83	A T & S F gen 4s	74½	to	74
15	A T & S F cv 4s 1955	68	to	67½
19	A T & S F cv 4s 1960	82½		
3	A T & S F adj 4s	70¾	to	70¼
1	A C L 4½s	72½		
3	A C L 7s	102		
3	A C L 1st con 4s	77¼		
3	A C L L & N con tr 4s	69		
16	Atl Fruit cv 7s	70		
7	B & O 6s	90	to	89⅝
11	B & O ref 5s	66½	to	64¾
42	B & O cv 4½s	65¼	to	65
19	B & O gold 4s	65⅛	to	64⅛
5	B & O prior lien 3½s	80½		
6	B & O 4s PLE&WV div	62	to	61½
11	B & O 3½s S W div	76½	to	75¾
9	B & O 4s T & Cin div	53½	to	52½
15	Bell Tel of Penn 7s	102	to	101⅞
1	Beth Steel ref 5s	77⅝		
13	Beth Steel p m 5s	75¼	to	75
27	Brk Rapid Trans 7s	41½	to	41
5	Brk R Tr 7s, Tr Co ctfs	41½		
6	BrkRTr 7s, To co ctfs st	38		
6	Buff Roch & Pitts 4½s	80½		
1	Bush Term con 5s	69¾		
1	Bush Term Bldg 5s	73		
1	Cal Gas & Elec 5s	83		
7	Can Southern 5s	84⅛		
2	Cent of Ga Ry 6s	87		
2	Central Leather gen 5s	90½	to	89¾
5	Central Pacific gtd 4s	71½	to	71⅜
1	Cent R R of N J 5s	98⅞		
51	Ches & Ohio cvt 5s	84	to	83½
16	C & O gen 4½s	74	to	72½
17	C & O cvt 4½s	72¼	to	72
3	C & O R & A 1st 4s	70⅝		
8	C B & Q gen 4s	96⅜	to	96¼
5	C B & Q 4s, Ill Div	81½	to	81¼
11	C B & Q 3½s, Ill Div	70½		
63	C B & Q joint 4s	96¾	to	96½
10	C B & Q joint 4s, reg	96½	to	96
12	Chicago & Erie 1st 5s	77½	to	76
14	Chi Great Western 4s	51	to	50
4	C M & St P cvt 5s, ser B	66		
3	C M & StP gen 4s	68	to	67½
8	C M & St P cvt 4½s	69	to	68½
4	C M & St P rfg 4½s	58¾	to	58½
1	C M & St P 4s, 1925	79¾		
1	C M & St P deb 4s, 1934	60¾		
26	CM& St P 5s, C&PW Div	99¼	to	99
1	C & N W deb 5s, 1933	89½		
6	C & N C P & N 5s st	76		
3	C & N W gen 3½s	64⅝		
41	Chi & N W 7s	103	to	102
2	Chi Rys Co 5s	60	to	59½
44	C R I & P gen 4s	69½	to	69
56	C R I & P rfg 4s	65¼	to	64¾
5	C St P M & O 6s	100⅞		
7	Chi & W I 4s	57	to	56¼
2	Chile Copper cvt 7s	91⅞		
88	Chile Cop col tr 6s	66	to	65½
1	C C C & St L deb 4½s	73½		
1	Cleve & Mar 4½s	84½		
3	Colo & Sou 1st 4s	79⅞		
13	Colo & Sou rfg 4½s	71¾	to	71⅝
6	Consolidated Gas cvt 7s	99	to	98½
6	Cuban Cane Sugar 7s	83⅞		
3	Cum Tel & Tel 5s	80	to	79¾
5	Del & Hud cvt 5s	83⅝	to	83½
1	Del & Hud 7s	104		
10	D & R G rfg 5s	47⅝	to	47
5	Det Edison 5s, 1940	78		
1	Det U R 4½s	61		
12	East Tenn V & G con 5s	87½	to	87
15	Erie prior lien 4s	52¼	to	51½
37	Erie gen lien 4s	40¼	to	40
20	Erie cvt 4s, ser A	39	to	37½
23	Erie cvt 4s, ser B	39	to	38
1	Erie-Penna col 4s	72½		
9	Gen Elec tem 6s	99⅞		
12	Gen Elec deb 5s	85⅞		
42	Great Northern 4¼s	79	to	78½
3	Hock Val 1st con 4½s	71		
43	H & Man ref 5s ser A	60½	to	60
26	H & Man adj inc 5s	21¾	to	21⅝
4	Ill Central 3½s 1952	66½		
8	Ill Central 5½s	91⅜	to	91
2	Ill Central rfg 4s	74		
3	Ill Central 4s 1952	71⅛	to	71
7	Ill Central 4s 1953	67½	to	67¼
7	Ill Steel deb 4½s	78½	to	78
4	Indiana Steel 5s	87½		
131	Int Met 4½s	13½	to	12
6	Inter eMt 4½s Tr Co ctf	12½	to	12½
260	Int R T ref 5s	46½	to	45⅝
53	Int Mer Mar sf 6s	79½	to	79
1	Iowa Cent rfg 4s	42		
15	K C Ft S & M 4s	61⅝	to	61½
10	K C Southern 5s	71	to	70½
55	K C Southern 1st 3s	52⅝	to	52½
87	K C Term 1st 4s	70	to	69
1	Lack Stl fs 1950	75⅝		
3	L S & M S 3½s	69		
5	L S & M S deb 4s, '28	83⅝	to	83½
1	Lehigh Val Coal 5s	92⅞		
3	Lehigh Valley 6s	98		
5	Lig & Myers 5s	80¼		
6	Long Isl deb 5s, 1937	65		
*1	Lorillard Co 5s	78½		
1	Louis & Jeff Bridge 4s	64¾		
5	L & N 7s	104		
25	L & N unified 4s	79	to	78¾
11	L & N 6s St L div	99½	to	99
1	L & N 3s St L div	51½		
67	Midvale Stl cvt 5s	72	to	71
1	Minn & St L con 5s	68		
1	M & St L 1st rfg 4s	42½		
4	M St P & S S M con 4s	78		
41	M K & T 1st 4s	57	to	56¼
5	M K & T 2d 4s	34¼		
1	M P rfg 5s, 1923	87½		
6	Mo Pac 5s, 1965	81	to	80⅞
46	Mo Pac gen 4s	53¼	to	52½
3	Mobile & Ohio new 6s	97		
17	Mont P Co 5s, ser A	82	to	81
5	Mon Tram col 5s	66		
3	N C & St L 5s	92		
2	Nat Rys of Mex 4½s	23⅝		
8	N O Terminal 4s	60¼	to	60
1	N O T & M inc 5s	55		
53	N Y Cen & H R 3½s	67		
15	N Y Cen & H R deb 6s	90¾		
1	N Y C & H R rfg & imp 4½s	72½		
6	N Y Cen & H R 7s	102		
3	N Y Cen H R 7s reg	102		
15	N Y C & H R con 4s	66½	to	66¼
15	N Y C & H R rfg 3½s	76¼	to	76⅛
2	N Y C-L S col tr 3½s	60		
6	N Y C & St L 1st 4s	79¾	to	79¼
4	N Y C & St L deb 4s	69		
1	NYGas,ELH&PCo pur m 4s	63		
7	NYGas, ELH&PCo 5s	81	to	80½
14	NYNH&H cvt 6s, 1948	66	to	65
8	NYRys ref 4s, Tr Co ctfs	17⅝		
5	N Y Rys adj 5s	4		
22	N Y Telephone deb 6s	88	to	87
48	N Y Telephone gen 4½s	75⅝	to	75¼
23	Nor & West con 4s	74½	to	74¼
24	Nor & W cvt 6s	104⅛	to	104
33	Nor Pac prior lien 4s	75½	to	74½
49	North Pac gen 3s	53½	to	53⅜
10	Oregon S L con 5s	89⅝		
8	Oregon S L rfg 4s	77		
2	Ore-Wash R R & N 4s	68½		
13	Pac Gas & Elec 5s	75⅞	to	75½
10	Pac Tel & Tel 5s	80⅝		
3	Penn R R 7s, 1930	104½		
2	Penn R R con 5s, 1968	88		
5	Penn R R con 4½s	88¾		
1	Penn R R con 4s, 1948	82½		
9	Peo Gas & Coke of Ch 5s	63		
1	Pere Marq ref 5s	81⅝	to	81
1	Pere Marq 4s	66		
25	P C C & St L 5s ser A	82		
1	P C C & St L 4½s ser A	85⅛		
2	P C C & St L 4½s ser B	85⅛		
12	Reading gen 4s	79⅛	to	78¾
10	Rock Isl Ark & L 4½s	64½	to	64
4	St L I M & S ref 4s	70		
54	St L & S F pr l 4s ser A	60	to	59½
10	St L & S F gen 5s ser C	86	to	85¾
81	St L & S F adj 6s	64½	to	63¾
84	St L & S F inc 6s	49½	to	49
7	St L S W 1st 4s	64⅛	to	64½
8	St L S W con 4s	62½	to	61
4	St L S W Term 5s	62	to	61¼
1	Seabd A L gold 4s sta	52		
4	San An & A Pass 1st 4s	60⅞	to	60
91	Seabd Air Line rfg 4s	40½	to	40
27	Seabd Air Line adj 5s	36	to	34
33	So Bell T & T 5s	81	to	80⅝
204	So Pac cvt 5s	101¾	to	99⅞
16	So Pac cvt 4s	76¼	to	75⅝
39	So Pac rfg 4s	74	to	73⅞
19	So Ry con 5s	85	to	84½
36	So Ry gen 4s	59	to	58
7	Standard Milling 5s	73		
5	Tex & Pac 1st 5s	79		
7	Third Ave adj 5s	26½	to	26
4	Union Pac 6s	99¼	to	99⅛
16	Union Pac 1st 4s	80⅛	to	79⅝
6	Union Pac cvt 4s	80⅜	to	80½
4	Union Pac rfg 4s	74	to	73½
5	U R R of S F ctfs 4s	28⅜		
16	U S Rubber 7½s, 1930	97¼	to	97
31	U S Rubber 5s	75	to	74¼
4	U S S R & M 6s	91		
36	U S Stl sf 5s	91⅞	to	91½
5	Utah & Northern 5s	90	to	89⅛
5	Utah & Northern 5s	90⅛	to	89⅛
3	Va Ry 5s	80½		
3	Va & Southern con 5s	80¼		
1	Western Elec 5s	93¼		
1	West N Y & Pa 1st 5s	85		
6	West Pac 5s	81½	to	80⅝
10	West Union r e 4½s	78½		
37	Westing Elec 7s	94⅝	to	94½
6	West Shore 4s	69⅝	to	69
18	Wilson & Co 1st 6s	87	to	86½
23	Wilson & Co cvt 6s	82¼	to	81½
2	Wis Cent gen 4s	71½		

LIBERTY BONDS.

	Open Today.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Lib. 3½s	90.40	90.40	90.20	90.36	90.40
do 2d 4s	85.60	85.60	85.40	85.44	85.40
do 1st 4¼	86.22	86.40	86.10	86.26	86.10
do 2d 4¼	85.70	85.90	85.30	85.30	85.46
do 3d 4¼	88.30	88.38	88.00	88.00	88.10
do 4th 4¼	86.00	86.10	85.70	85.70	85.74
Vic. 4¾s	95.56	95.58	95.38	95.46	95.46
do 3¾s	95.56	95.56	95.40	95.40	95.50

NEW YORK CURB

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Following is a list of today's highest, lowest and closing prices for the most active stocks dealt in on the Broad street curb:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Closing.
3,500	Acme Coal	1½	1	1½
100	Aetna Explo	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
100	Alum Mfg	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
100	Amer Candy	5	5	5
40	Amer Chicle	29	29	29
200	Au Fuel Sup	67¾	67⅝	67⅝
100	Br Am Chem	4½	4½	4½
200	Br A Tob cou	12½	12½	12½
1,200	Car Light	2⅝	2¼	2⅝
100	W A Davies	28	28	28
700	Empire T	19	18¾	19
100	Farrell Coal	16	16	16
4,600	Gen Asphalt	39½	37¼	37¼
100	Hal Signal	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
1,800	Heyden Ch	2⅞	2½	2⅝
2,700	Hercules Pa	19¼	15	16½
50	Manuf Light	5	5	5
400	Mercer Mot	5¼	5⅛	5¼
2,000	N A P & P	4⅞	4½	4½
11	N J Zinc	142	142	142
100	Peerless Mot	20½	20½	20½
1,200	Perfeo Tire	1 3-16	1 3-16	1 3-16
400	Radio Co	2¼	2⅛	2¼
100	Radio Co pfd	2½	2½	2½
100	R de France	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
10,000	Sweets Co	2⅝	2½	2½
100	United P S	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
2,600	United R C	8½	8½	8½
900	U S Steam	1¼	1¼	1¼
250	U S Distrib	30	30	30

INDEPENDENT OILS.

Sales	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Closing.
13,000	Allen Oil	15	13	13
200	Bigh P & R	5½	5½	5½
1,300	Boone Oil	1⅝	1½	1⅝
3,000	B Wyo Oil	15-16	⅞	15-16
200	Bos-Mex Oil	1	⅞	⅞
1,800	Car Syn	9⅞	9	9
200	Cit S B ctfs	31	31	31
500	Cos & Co	6	6	6
1,500	Cushing Pet	½	7-16	½
800	Dom Oil	8⅛	8¾	8⅞
2,500	Elk Basin	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
4,700	Esmer O & G	⅛	1-16	1-16
1,000	Engineers Pt	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
400	Fensland Oil	13	12½	12½
110	Gilliland Oil	19¼	19¼	19¼
1,000	Glenrock Oil	2⅛	2	2
1,500	Granada Oil	6½	5½	5½
1,100	Guffy-Gill	26½	26	26
1,600	Hudson Oil	5-16	3-16	¼
3,400	Int Pet	16½	15⅜	15⅝
400	Kay Co Gas	1¼	1¼	1¼
3,800	Maracaibo O	16¼	15	15
800	Merritt Oil	12	11¾	11¾
2,500	Mexico Oil	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
500	Midw Ref	146	144	144
400	Mount Prod	13⅛	12⅞	12⅞
8,200	Nob O & G	13-16	¾	13-16
200	Oar Oil	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
50	Panh Pet	7½	7½	7½
112	Pan P pfd	61½	60	61½
100	Penock Oil	6	6	6
1,400	Prod & R	5½	4⅞	4⅞
1,200	Red Rock O			⅞
1,900	Ryan Con	14¼	13½	13½
100	Salt Creek	28	28	28
100	Savoy Oil	8½	8½	8½
4,900	Simms Pet	7½	7	7⅛
500	Skelly Oil	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝
680	Tex Ky Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
100	United Texas	⅝	⅝	⅝
1,000	Vulcan Oil	½	⅜	⅜
1,700	Woodburn Oil	1½	1	1

STANDARD OILS.

Sales	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Closing.
25	Stand O N Y	356	354	354
400	Un Tk L pfd	96	96	96

MINING.

Sales	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Closing.
8,000	Alas Br Col	½	½	½
200	Am Mines	1	1	1
4,400	Big Ledge	7-16	5-16	⅜
7,000	Bos & Mont	42	40	41
100	Cons C Mines	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
700	Cresson Gold	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
400	El Salvador	⅝	9-16	
150	Hond Syn	9	8	9
3,300	Hecla Min	4⅜	4¼	4¼
1,000	Louisiana C	¼		
3,200	Magna Cop	19½	17	17
1,000	Mother Lode	57	57	57
3,500	Nipissing	7⅝	7	7¼
200	Tono Belmont	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
6,100	Tono Divide	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
300	Tono Ext	1 7-16	1 7-16	1 7-16
500	Tono Min	1½	1½	1½
3,000	Un Eastern	2¾	2⅝	2 7-16
800	West E con	15-16	15-16	15-16

BONDS.

Sales	Bonds.	High.	Low.	Closing.
38	Al Pk 1st 6s	53	51½	52
55	Armour 7s	95½	94⅝	94⅝
1	Am Tel 6s 22	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
20	Am Tel 6s 24	93⅛	93	93
1	Ana Cop 6s	83	83	83
3	B Stl 7s 35	94½	94½	94½
12	Can Nor 7s	99½	99½	99½
88	Cons Gas 8s	99⅝	99½	99½
2	D Match 7s	100¼	100	100
5	Goodrich 7s	87¼	86¼	87
9	Grand Tr 7s	100⅜	100⅛	100¼
20	Ken Cop 7s	91½	91	91½
2	Pan-A P 7s	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
58	Sea A L 6s	48	45½	48¼
35	Sin C 7½s	90	89½	89½
10	S & Co 7s	92	90⅝	92
11	Un Tank 7s	100¼	100⅛	100⅛
5	West El 7s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝

FOREIGN BONDS.

Sales	Bonds.	High.	Low.	Closing.
10	Berlin 4s	12	12	12
62	Den 8s	97½	97	97
25	Germ G 4s	10	10	10
70	Ham 4½s	13¾	13½	13½
25	Nor 8s	99⅝	99½	99⅝
9	Swed G 6s	78	77½	78
15	Sw G 5½s	80⅝	80¼	80⅜

ST. LOUIS STOCKS

Local Bank Clearings

$19,894,527.

Transactions on the St. Louis Stock Exchange today, in the aggregate, amounted to 3330 shares of stock and $6000 in bonds.

The following is a list of the sales made, the prices paid and the net changes as compared with the preceding day's sale or last previous transactions:

SECURITY.	Sales.	Price.	Net Ch'ge.
Bank of Commerce	5	130	....
Boatmen's Bank	3	114	—1
Boatmen's Bank	3	115	....
Hydraulic B. pfd	95	40	—½
Hydraulic B. pfd	45	40½	•½
Hydraulic B. pfd	20	40⅝	•⅝
Laclede Steel	35	100	....
Nat. Candy com	5	91½	—3½
Nat. Candy com	10	90	—4
Scruggs, V. & B. 2d pf	25	68¼	—1¾
Temtor "A"	30	33½	—½
Temtor "A"	60	33	—1
Wagner Elec	132	54	....
Wagner Elec	6	55	•1
Wagner Elec	15	53	—1
Indiahoma	1,000	6⅝	—¼
Marland	100	2⅝	—½
Marland	2	2¾	—¼
E. St. L. & Sub. 5s	$6,000	48	•½
AFTERNOON SESSION.			
Brown Shoe com	9	40½	—4½
Certain-teed com	5	42	....
Certain-teed com	5	43	•1
Mer-Lac Nat Bank	18	242½	—2½
Nat Candy com	20	87½	—4
St. Louis Union	5	204	—½
Temtor A	60	33	—1
Temtor A	55	32⅞	—1⅛
Temtor A	10	32½	—1½
Indiahoma	49	6⅞	—⅛
Marland	200	2½	—⅛
U R 4s	$1000	46	—½

•Increase. —Decrease. ....Unchanged.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SECURITY.	Bid.	Asked
First National Bank	210	211
Jefferson Bank	117½	
Merchants-Laclede National		245
St. Louis Union Trust	203	
Title Guaranty Trust		55¼
Brown Shoe com	40	43
Certain-teed Products com	41½	43
Consolidated Coal		85
Ely & Walker D. G. 1st pfd	95	
do com	120	
Hydraulic Press Brick pfd	40½	
*Indiahoma Refining Co	6⅝	6¾
International Shoe pfd	104	
Laclede Steel Co	100	
Marland Refining Co	2⅝	2¾
Mo. Portland Cement		73
Nat Candy com	87½	88
Temtor A	32¾	33
do B		28
United Railways pfd		10
do pfd	1½	
Wagner Electric Mfg	52	54½
East St. Louis & Sub Co. 5s	48	50
United Rys. 4s	46	46½
Brown Shoe pfd		84
Certain-teed 1st pfd	80½	
S. V. B. D. G. 2d pfd	68¾	69
St. Louis Cot. Compress	30	

*Ex-dividend.

Foreign Exchange and Domestic Money

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The foreign exchange market was generally dull and movements in sterling and leading continental rates were narrow and without important changes. There was no demand for Grecian exchange, which some dealers referred to as unsalable and at times the best bid was 7 cents to the drachma. The rate was quoted nominally at 7.40 and it was stated that the rate was only nominal in other important markets in the world. Demand sterling yielded ⅛c. to $3.43½, in the early trading, but recovered this loss before noon. Exchange on Copenhagen continued strong, checks selling as high as 14.90, and Christiania made a further advance to 14.80. Spanish showed a moderate improvement from yesterday's low level. Finland exchange was in scant supply and hard to buy. French was easier.

Rates today were:
Sterling (par $4.86⅝ per sovereign), demand 3.44, cables 3.44⅝.
Bank, 60 days, 3.40; bank, 90 days, 3.89; commercial, 60 days, 3.38; commercial, 90 days, 3.37.
France (par 19.3c per franc), demand 5.86, cables 5.87.
Italy (par 19.3c per lira), demand 351, cables 3.52.
Belgium (par 19.3c per franc), demand 6.22, cables 6.23.
Switzerland (par 19.3c per franc), demand 15.50, cables 15.55.
Holland (par 40.2c per florin), demand 30.50, cables 30.60.
Germany (par 23.8c per mark), demand 1.33, cables 1.34.
Austria (par 20.3c per crown), demand .30, cables .31.
Greece (par 19.3c per drachma), demand 7.40.
Sweden (par 26.8c per krone), demand 19.20, cables 19.25.
Norway (par 26.8c per krone), demand 14.75, cables 14.80.
Denmark (par 26.8c per krone), demand 14.80, cables 14.85.
Spain (par 19.3c per peseta), demand 12.74, cables 12.78.
Hungary (par 20.3c per crown), demand .21.
Czecho-Slovakia (par 20.3c per crown), demand 1.15.
Poland (par cents per mark), demand .20.
Finland (par 23.83c per mark), demand 2.50.
Rumania (par 19.3c per leu), demand 1.40.
Jugo-Slavia (par 20.3c per crown), demand .71.
Far Eastern rates:
Yokohama (par 49.8c per yen), demand 49.25, cables 49.75.
Hongkong (par 87.05c per Chinese dollar), demand 61, cables 61.50.
Shanghai (par 1.209 per tael), demand 72, cables 72.50.
Calcutta (par cents per rupee), demand 24, cables 24.50.
Other exchanges:
Argentine (par 103.63 Arg. c per dollar), spot 35.27.
Canada (par c per Canadian dollar), demand 86.10.
Brazil (par c per milreis), demand 15.62.
Prime mercantile paper, 7¾@8 per cent. Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 7¼@7⅜ per cent.
Call money steady; high, 7; low, 7; ruling rate, 7; closing bid, 6; offered at 7; last loan, 7; bank acceptances, 6¼.

Bank of France Statement.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—The weekly stateemnt of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Gold in hand increased 2,954,000 francs, silver in hand increased 6,377,000, notes in circulation decreased 653,230,000, treasury deposits increased 42,371,000, general deposits decreased 53,538,000, bills discounted decreased 117,203,000, advances increased 137,829,000.

Future Grain Prices

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 9.—Following is an official report of today's high, low, closing and previous close in local market and quotations as received from Kansas City and Chicago markets:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
DECEMBER WHEAT.				
St. L.	180	176½a	178½b	179b
Chi.	171	164½	166½-¾	169
K. C.	168½	165¼	166¼a	166¼
MARCH WHEAT.				
St. L.	171½b	167½	168⅝a	169⅜a
Chi.	168½	163½	164@½	166⅝-67
K. C.	164	159⅜	159⅝	161b
DECEMBER CORN.				
St. L.	76⅝	76½a	75b	76⅝
Chi.	74⅝	72½	73b	74⅛-⅜
K. C.	69	66½	66½	68⅝
MAY CORN.				
St. L.	78¼	76½-⅝	76⅝a	77⅞
Chi.	76⅝	75	75¼-¼	76⅝-¼
K. C.	71½	69¾	69½	70½-71¼
JULY CORN.				
St. L.	78½	76¾	76⅞	78⅝a
Chi.	77⅝	76⅛	76⅛@⅜	77⅝@⅝
K. C.	72⅝	70⅝	70⅝b	71⅞-72a
DECEMBER OATS.				
St. L.	52¼	52¼	52¼	52¼
Chi.	49	47⅝	48	48⅝@¾
MAY OATS.				
St. L.	53⅝	53½a	53½a	53⅝a
Chi.	52½	51⅝	51-⅛-¼	52⅝@¾
JULY OATS.				
Chi.	51¾	51⅜	51⅛@¼	51⅝
DECEMBER RYE.				
Chi.	160	157½	159¼b	158a
MAY RYE.				
Chi.	143¼	140½	142⅛b	140⅝b

Grain Statistics

GRAINS IN LOCAL PUBLIC ELEVATORS

	Today.	Yesterday.	Week Ago.
Wheat	305,066	300,861	244,713
Corn	96,127	97,320	60,927
Oats	838,580	847,757	875,186

ST. LOUIS GRAIN RECEIPTS.

CARS.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Hay (Tons).
Local today	33	26	22	502
Through today	80	11	5	257
Local week ago	33	26	16	220
Through week ago	42	10	11	192

NORTHWESTERN CAR LOTS.

Wheat.	Today.	Last year.	2 Years Ago.
Minneapolis	280	301	463
Duluth	122	15	339
Winnipeg	882	300	1,030

Chicago Provisions

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The following is a list of today's high, low, close and previous closing quotations in the provision market:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'y.
PORK.				
January	$23.60	$23.22	$23.22	$23.60
LARD.				
January	14.60	14.30	14.35	14.52
May	14.50	14.37	14.37	14.55
RIBS.				
January	12.60	12.30	12.30	12.45
May	12.82	12.65	12.67	12.80

New York Cotton

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The following is a list of today's high, low, close and previous closing quotations on cotton futures:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Dec.	15.95	15.50	15.67@68	15.67
Jan.	16.12	15.71	15.76@78	15.72@75
Feb.			15.85	15.87
March	16.70	15.84	15.90@91	15.86@88
April			16.00	15.95
May	16.40	16.04	16.08@10	16.00@02
June			16.10	16.00
July	16.82	16.10	16.12@15	16.05@06
Aug.	16.15	16.15	16.10	15.95
Sept.	16.10	16.10	16.10	15.90
Oct.	16.24	15.99	16.05	15.85@89

Cotton—Spot quiet; middling, 16.25c.

Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Raw sugar was quiet early today and in the absence of business prices were nominally unchanged, at 5.32 for centrifugal. Refined was steady, with a light demand; fine granulated ranged from 8.75 to 9.00. Trading in futures was limited, with operators awaiting developments in the spot market. At midday values were 5 to 7 points lower, under liquidation.

Sugar futures closed easy. Sales, 2100 tons. January, 4.55c; March, 4.75c; May, 4.89c; July, 5c.

DIVIDEND NOTICES

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Office of Mississippi Valley Trust Company, n. w. corner Fourth and Pine streets, St. Louis, Mo., December 8, 1920. At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a dividend of $4 per share on the capital stock was declared for quarter ending December 31, 1920, payable January 1st next to stockholders of record, December 31st. Transfer books close December 21st and reopen January 1, 1921.

JAMES E. BROCK, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE Dictograph Products Corporation have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 2% on the outstanding preferred stock of this company, payable January 15, 1921, to the stockholders of record December 31, 1920. Stock books will remain open.

Dictograph Products Corporation.
(Signed) H. M. DELANOIE,
December 2, 1920. Treasurer.

STOCKS CONTINUE LOW TREND ON CURB MARKET

Many Touch New Low Records—Bonds Active, but at Expense of Values.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The curb market was weak again today, although there was less liquidation than on Wednesday and the selling pressure among the professional element also was less severe. At the start there was a steady tone, but moderate selling found demand lacking, and forced many issues to new low levels. There was a sharp falling off in dealings.

General Asphalt was in supply and sold down to a new low for the movement. Aetna Explosives advanced at the start, but reacted later. Retail Candy was heavy, and a new low was established in Tobacco Products exports. Heyden Chemical was reactionary. There was a good inquiry for Lincoln Motors, shorts attempting to cover, but after bidding the shares up 3 points it was impossible to bring out a supply.

Oil shares were heavy. Simms Petroleum touched a new low record and selling by Canadian interests caused a loss of about a point in International Petroleum. Ryan Consolidated dropped about a point, and fractional losses were recorded in Merritt, Carib Syndicate and many others.

Bonds were decidedly more active but in most instances at the expense of values. Soaboard Air Line 6s sold down nearly 3 points, with only a moderate rally from the lowest.

There was more selling pressure than in a long time in the mining group, especially in some of the higher-priced issues.

Boston Stock Market

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—The following list includes highest, lowest and closing prices for the most active securities dealt in today on the Boston Stock Exchange:

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
Arcadian Cons	10¾	10¾	10¾
Arizona com	7	6⅝	6⅝
Calu & Ariz	46	45	45
Coper Range	27⅝	27	27
East Butte	7⅝	7½	7½
Island Creek	51	51	51
Mayflower-O C	4	3⅞	3⅞
Mohawk	36	35	35
New Cornelia	15	15	15
North Butte	10¼	10	10¼
Swift & Co	104⅝	104	104
Shoe Mach	34	33¼	33¼
Utah Con	3¼	3¼	3¼
Ventura Oil	16½	16½	16½
Cal & Hecla	220	211	211
Quincy	36½	36½	36½

Stock Dividend Instead of Cash.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The directors of the American Agricultural Chemical Co. today declared a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on common stock, payable in common stock. The previous dividends at the same rate were payable in cash.

FINANCIAL

BUY PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS
Yielding 8% to 9%
Pennsylvania-Ohio Power & Light Co.
10-Year—8%—Secured Sinking Fund Gold Notes
Commonwealth Power, Railway & Light Co.
Secured Serial Gold Notes
General Gas & Electric Co.
10-Year Secured Gold Bonds
We Recommend Buying Gold Bonds NOW
Armour & Company 7%
Swift & Company 7%
Morris & Company 7½%
Bethlehem Steel 7%
Anaconda Copper Company 7%
Sears, Roebuck Company 7%
Southwestern Bell Tel. Co. 7%
Laclede Gas Company 7%
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WHEAT CLOSES LOWER; CORN ALSO IS DOWN

The grain market ruled irregular on the Merchants' Exchange today. Although tseady early the market sold off later as substantial support was lacking. Further export sales were made according to reports.

Chicago reported talk of effect that consignment notes on corn from Iowa and Illinois were increasing materially.

Clearances were 557,000 bushels of wheat, 70,000 corn and 26,000 barrels of flour.

Primary receipts were 1,382,000 bushels of wheat, 420,000 corn and 348,000 oats against 1,669,000 bushels wheat, 472,000 corn and 339,000 oats a week ago.

A steady market all around ruled in the forepart of the session, March wheat sold up to $1.71½, but did not hold the full gain. Corn futures acted well and May oats sold at previous closing basis.

The heavy takings of wheat by Europe yesterday from both this country and Canada helped the market. Total sales were put at 3,500,000 bushels. It was reported early today that overnight sales were thought to have been made for export.

DOWNWARD TREND IN WHEAT PRICES ON CHICAGO BOARD

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Wheat prices turned downward today after a show of strength at the start. Initial gains were ascribed to the liberal export business of yesterday. Buying orders this morning, however, lacked volume. Opening quotations, which varied from the same as yesterday's finish to 2c higher, with Dec. $1.70½ to $1.71, and March $1.67 to $1.68½, were followed by a decided setback all around, and then something of a rally.

Bearish views in regard to economic conditions had a further depressing effect later. The close was unsettled, 2¼c to 3c net lower, with December $1.66½ to $1.66¾ and March $1.64 to $1.64¼.

Scant receipts held the corn market steady. After opening ⅝c off to ¼c advance, including May at 76¼c to 76½c, the market underwent a slight sag.

Later the corn market receded with wheat. The close was weak, 1⅛c to 1⅜c net lower, with May at 75⅛c to 75¼c.

Oats, like corn, were dull and fairly firm, starting unchanged to ⅜c higher, with May 52¼c to 52⅝c, and then declining a little.

Absence of any aggressive support made the provision market weaken, despite some gains at the outset.

Cash Grain Prices

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 9.—Cash wheat 1c to 2c lower on red and steady on hard. Corn, 2c up to 2c lower. Oats, steady to ½c higher. Sales:

WHEAT—No. 2 red winter, $1.99; No. 3 red winter, $1.95; No. 1 hard, $1.83@1.84; No. 4 hard, 77c; No. 5 hard, 68c.

CORN—No. 4 yellow, 78c; No. 5 yellow, 73c; No. 6 yellow, 70c; No. 2 white, 80c; No. 4 white, 72@73c; No. 5 white, 70c;

OATS—No. 1 white, 53@54¾c; No. 2 white, 53c; No. 3 white, 52@52½c; No. 4 white, 51c; No. 4 white, 51c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.58.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 9.—Cash wheat unchanged to 3 cents higher; No. 1 hard, $1.70@1.80; No. 2, $1.69@1.79; No. 1 red, $1.95; No. 2, $1.90@1.91. Corn unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 73@74c; No. 2, 72c; No. 2 white, 75c; No. 3, 73c; No. 2 yellow, 78@79c; No. 3, 77c. Oats unchanged; No. 2 white, 51½c; No. 2 mixed, 47@47½c. Rye, $1.48. Kafir and milo maize, $1.20@1.35. Hay unchanged. Receipts, wheat, 168 cars.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Wheat: No. 2 dark northern, $1.68½; No. 3 dark northern, $1.64. Corn: No. 3 yellow, 82c. Oats: No. 2 white, 51@51½c; No. 3 white, 50@50¾c. Rye: No. 2, $1.60. Barley: 68@69c. Timothy seed, $5.50@6.75. Clover seed, $15@20. Park, nominal. Lard, $14.75. Ribs, $12.50@14.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 9.—Wheat: Cash, No. 1 northern, $1.65¼@1.70⅛; December $1.58¼; March, $1.60¼. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 72@73c. Oats: No. 3 white, 45½@45¾c. Barley, 55@76c. Rye, No. 2, $1.47½@1.48½. Flax, No. 1, $2.22@2.23.

CATTLE OFFERINGS SMALL, BUT MARKET IS SLOW

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 9. —Today's estimated receipts: Cattle and calves, 2500; hogs, 10,500; sheep, 1500; horses and mules, 150.

CATTLE—Fresh run of cattle was not large today, but this did not offset the dull demand prevailing and market was extremely slow in all departments. Some steers and many grades of butcher stock showed a decline of 25c and movement was difficult on this basis. Veal calves ruled steady to strong, a small bunch going at $11 late.

Partial list of sales:

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
12	604	$7 00	4	525	$5 25

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
3	660	6 50	1	900	5 25

CALVES AND YEARLINGS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	360	6 00	2	285	5 50
7	240	5 50	20	109	4 25
12	190	4 25	19	350	4 00
5	204	3 50			

HOGS—Hog receipts were cuto to 10,500 for the Thursday session and market recovered some of yesterday's decline. General tone was 10@15c higher, although some sales showed 25c higher. Top $10.10, with bulk from $9.75 to $10. Pigs active and 15@25c higher where choice, with demand indifferent for the plain and medium grades. Rough packers strong in a range of $7.75@8.75.

MIXED PACKERS AND HEAVY.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.
46	331		$10 10	56	242		$10 05
22	228		10 00	38	239		10 00
35	233		9 95	46	227		9 95

BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.
82	213		10 00	60	216		9 95
12	212		9 95	71	203		9 95
34	218		9 90	67	200		9 90
30	191		9 85	41	178		9 85
83	152		9 85	14	181		9 85
28	213	40	9 75	58	189		9 75

LIGHTS AND PIGS UNDER 150 LBS.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.
68	142		9 80	18	141		9 80
23	138		9 75	17	134		9 75
154	100		9 60	39	124		9 60
29	116		9 50	28	121		9 50
46	103		9 25	71	88		9 25
99	90		9 00	23	100		9 00

PACKERS AND STAGS.

No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Dock.	Pr.
2	320		8 75	1	300		8 75
3	550		8 75	2	390		8 75
15	376	120	8 75	4	390		8 75
1	560	70	7 50	1	680	70	7 50

SHEEP—A light Thursday run of sheep and lambs, estimated at 1500, found a slow, steady market. Holdovers swelled the offering to approximately 4000. Best lambs sold at $10.25 and fat sheep from $4@4.50.

HORSES—The horse market has shown more life this week, although there has been no material price advance. Auction supply comprised slightly over 100 head, a large percentage of which were Southerners.

MULES—Outlet for mules was no larger this week and values remain unchanged. Supply was moderate in volume and a complete clearance has not as yet been made. About 50 head of small, cheap mules were offered at auction today.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Copper steady; electrolytic, spot and nearby, 13¾@14c; firsts, nominal, 14@14¼c. Iron nominal; No. 1 Northern, $38; No. 2 Northern, $35; No. 2 Southern, $35. Tin steady; spot and nearby, $35.50@36; futures, $37@37.25. Antimony, $5.75@5.87. Lead dull; spot, $5. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot, $6.25@6.30.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Standard copper spot, £79 17s 6d; futures, £79 10s; electrolytic spot, £90; futures, £91. Tin, spot, £226 5s; futures, £232 2s 6d. Lead, spot, £26; futures, £26 15s. Zinc, spot, £31 10s; futures, £13 2s 6d.

Metals at St. Louis.

Lead was quoted at $4.85 per 100 lbs. in St. Louis today. Slab zinc was steady at $6.25 per 100 lbs.

Bank of England Statement.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased £957,000; circulation decreased £71,000; bullion increased £886,220, other securities decreased £3,173,000, public deposits increased £773,000, other deposits decreased £16,203,000, notes reserve increased £978,000. Government securities decreased £13,188,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability is 9.34 per cent; last week it was 7.86. Rate of discount, 7 per cent.

Coffee.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Coffee—Rio No. 7, 7c. Futures steady; March, 7.17c; September, 8.06c.

COTTON HIGHER ON BETTER SHOWING IN LIVERPOOL TRADE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The cotton market covered part of yesterday's losses at the opening today, owing to the steadier showing of Liverpool buying for Liverpool account. The latter was the feature of the first hour's business and was estimated around the ring at about 30,000 bales for January, March and May delivery. There was scattered Southern hedge selling, and also some selling for Western account, but offerings were pretty well absorbed until after the close of the English market. This, of course, shut out the arbitrage buying, which left prices here more sensitive to selling pressure and the market broke back to within 15 to 16 points of last night's closing figures, after having shown net gains of about 30 to 38 points during the early trading.

Five December notices were reported in circulation. They did not cause much activity, comparatively few trades being reported in the spot month, but the price eased off from 15.95c to 15.75c, or about 13 points below the price of January. A little cotton is being prepared for delivery on contract, the local inspection bureau having passed upon 660 bales yesterday, but so far as can be learned no large amounts are heading in this direction. Southern selling was evident on the mid-morning decline, but the offerings from that source were not heavy, and reports received here from Eastern belt sections reiterate the claims of an improved demand.

According to trade advices received this morning, the buying is beginning to exceed the daily offerings, and the basis is hardening on all grades. In some cases it is said merchants are finding it difficult to secure cotton of the grades needed to fill first half of December engagements. Private cables reported a quiet market in Liverpool, with the tone firm, but one of the private advices received here said that financial and business depression continued and that Manchester spinners of Egyptian cotton have decided to continue on a short-time schedule for another month.

Trading was very quiet during the early afternoon. March sold off to 15.90c, or 30 points from the early high level and within four points of last night's close under realizing.

Cotton futures closed steady: December, 15.67c; January, 15.76c; March, 15.90c; May, 16.08c; July, 16.13c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 9.—Cotton—Spot quiet; prices higher; good middling, 13.29d; fully middling, 16.54d; middling, 11.04d; low middling, 8.29d; good ordinary, 6.29; orinary, 5.29d. Sales, 3000 bales, including 2500 Americans.

St. Louis Spot Cotton.

Spot cotton was unchanged in St. Louis today. Quotations: Good ordinary, 7c; low middlings, 11c; middlings, 15c; good middlings, 16.50c; fair middlings, 17.50c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry

Following are prices paid today by St. Louis commission houses to farmers and country shippers for round lots. Small orders are usually quoted higher:

EGGS—Fresh country candled, 71c; do cases returned, 70c.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 49c; standard, 36c; firsts, 42c; seconds, 40c; packing stock, 19c.

Oleomargarine, table grades, in prints: No. 1 grade, 35c; No. 2 grade, 34c; No. 3 grade, 29c; bakers' special in tubs, 25c; bakers' pastry, 25c.

POULTRY—Hens, 4 pounds and over, 22c; hens, small, 16c; rocks, 15c; cull chickens, 8c; spring chickens, 21½c; brilers, 27c. Turkeys—Old toms, 37c; young toms and hens, 40c; culls, 28c; ducks, 26c; muscovy ducks, 18c; geese, 23c; old guineas, per dozen, $3; young guineas, 1¾ pounds and over, $6; under 1½ pounds, not wanted.

RABBITS—$2.50 per dozen.

VEAL—Choice 100@110 pounds at 10c per pound; 160@168 pounds at 11@12c per pound; 185@200 pounds, 8@9c per pound; rough, coarse, heretics, etc., 6@8c. Sheep, 2c to 5c; bucks, 2c to 4c; spring lambs, 6@10c.

VEGETABLES.

BEETS—New home-grown, 40c to 50c per box; Louisiana sugar bbls., $5.

CABBAGE—Northern bulk, $15 to $20 per ton, delivered.

CAULIFLOWER—California cases, 75c to $2.

CARROTS—Home-grown boxes, 50c to 75c; Louisiana, 35c to 45c per dozen bunches, hampers, 65c to 75c; New York, new sacks, $1.50.

CUCUMBERS—Iowa hothouse, $3.50 per dozen.

CELERY—New York, full crates, $3 to $5; California cases, $6.

EGGPLANT—Florida 1½-bu crates, $5 to $6.

KALE—Home-grown, 75c per box

MUSTARD GREENS—Louisiana, 40c to 55c per dozen bunches.

RADISHES—Louisiana tips, 20c to 30c per dozen.

LETTUCE—California iceberg, $3; Louisiana sugar barrels, $6.50; hampers, $1.50 to $1.75.

ONIONS—Per 100 lbs., delivered: Indiana white and red, 30c to $1, according to quality and condition.

PARSLEY—Louisiana sugar barrels, $5 to $6 for plain, $9 to $10 for curly.

POTATOES—Per 100 lbs., delivered: Western brown beauty, $1.75 to $1.95; Red River Ohio, $1.65; Northern rurals, $1.50 to $1.90.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown, nancy hall, $1.25 to $1.50; red, $1.75 to $2; white and Bermuda, $1.25; yellow, $1.25 to $1.50; Alabama short hampers, 75c to $1; Tennessee hampers, nancy hall, $1.50 to $1.75.

TURNIPS—Home-grown washed, 30c to 40c per box; unwashed, 50c per 100 pounds.

SPINACH—Home-grown flat leaf box at 75c to 90c.

SQUASH—Hubbard and pumpkin, 75c to $1 per 100 lbs.

STRING BEANS—Florida dark green, $4 to $4.60; pale, $3 to $3.25.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida, 1½-bu crates, $5 to $5.50 for No. 1; $3 for No. 2.

SHALLOTS—Louisiana, 30c to 40c per dozen bunches.

TOMATOES—California lugs, $3; 6-basket carriers, $4.50.

FRUITS.

GRAPES—Catawba, $1.25 to $1.50 per crate; Spanish Malagas, $12 to $15 per bbl.; California emperor, $8 per keg.

PEARS—Home-grown keifer, 50c to $1 per box; packed barrels, $3.25 to $3.50.

APPLES—Cold storage ben davis and gano, $4.50 to $5; golden, $5.50 to $8; greenings, $5 to $6; huntsman, $5.25; N. Y. greenings, $4.50 to $5; baldwin, $5; yorks, $5.50; bulk, per barrel measure, baldwins, $3; yorks, $3.50; greenings, $3 to $3.25; ben davis, $1.50 to $1.75.

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Produce Elsewhere

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Butter firm; receipts, 3503 tubs; creamery, higher than extra, 54@54½c; extra (92 score), 53@53½c; firsts (88 to 91 score), 41@51c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 23c. Eggs firm: receipts, 4875 cases; fresh gathered extras, firsts, 88@90c; do, firsts, 85@87c. Cheese steady; receipts, 974 boxes; State, whole milk flats, held, specials, early made, 27½@28c; do, fall made, 26@26½c; do, average run, 24½@25c; State, whole milk flats, fresh specials, 24½@25c; do, average run, 22½@23½c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Poultry, live, steady; chickens, by freight, 26c; by express, 26@28c; fowls, 34@29c; old roosters, 16@18c; turkeys, 35@40c; dressed, quiet; Western turkeys, fresh, 45@52c; others unchanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Butter lower; creamery, 31@48c. Eggs lower; receipts, 1054 cases; firsts, 73@75c; ordinary firsts, 63@67c; at mark, cases included, 66@72c; refrigerator firsts, 56@57c. Poultry, alive, higher; fowls, 16@24c; springs, 24c; turkeys, 38c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Potatoes weak; Northern white sacked, $1.25@1.45 cwt; bulk, $1.40@1.50 cwt.; Idaho russets, $1.75 cwt.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 9.—Eggs—Firsts unchanged to 1c lower, 69@70c; seconds unchanged, 57c. Butter—Creamery unchanged, 53c; packing 1c lower, 19c. Poultry unchanged; hens, 16@22c; roosters, 15@20c; springs, 24c; turkeys 1c higher, 36c.

United Fruit Capital Increased.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 9.—By an amended certificate of incorporation filed here the capital of the United Fruit Co. has been increased from $75,000,000 to $150,000,000. The capital stock is divided into 1,500,000 shares of a par value of $100 each.

Livestock Elsewhere

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (U. S. Bureau of Markets).—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; opening slow; steers and she stock steady to lower; bulk native beef steers, $9@12.75; butcher cow and heifers largely $5.25@7.75; canners, $3.65@4; bulls steady; bulk bolognas, $4.65@5.40; veal calves tending lower; packers top, $10.50; bulk, $9.75@10.25; stockers and feeders weaker. Hogs—Receipts, 46,000; weak to 10c lower than yesterday's average; big packers buying sparingly; top early, $10; bulk, $9.65@9.90; pigs steady to strong; bulk desirable, 80 to 130 pound pigs, $9.25@9.35. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; fat sheep and lambs, 25c higher; best lambs held around $11.25; bulk, $10.50@11; choice handy ewes, $5.35 top; bulk medium and heavy weight, $4.25@5; feeders scarce and steady.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 9.—(United States Bureau of Markets)—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; beef steers steady to strong; spot higher; fancy yearlings, $14.50; other sales, $6.75@11.75; fat she stock steady to weak; good heavy cows, $6.50@11; others steady; canners mostly $3.75@4; calves like low time Wednesday; practical top, $11.

Hogs—Receipts, 8500; unevenly steady to 10c lower; top, $9.95; bulk of sales, $9.50@9.85; good and choice fat pigs, $9.50@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 4000; sheep steady to 25c higher; fat lambs 25c to 40c higher; fed Westerns, $10.60.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts, 8000; active, steady to 10c higher; bulk medium and light butchers, $9.65@9.85; top, $9.90; bulk strong weights and packing grades, $9.40@9.60. Cattle—Receipts, 4000; beef steers slow, steady to 25c lower; early top beeves, $9.75; butcher stock steady to weak; bulls and veals steady; stockers and feeders strong. Sheep—Receipts, 4000; sheep and lambs fully 25c higher; top lambs, $10.50; wethers, $6.25; ewes, $4.40; few feeders here steady.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts, 5000; opening steady; top, $9.80; bulk, $9.55@9.72. Cattle—Receipts, 2000, steers slow; others generally steady; steers, $6@13; cows and heifers, $3.50@9.00; calves, $5@9. Sheep—Receipts, 1500; steady to 25c higher; lambs, $9.25@10.25; ewes, $3.50@4.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 9.—Hogs—Receipts, 3000; steady; heavies, $10.25@10.50; heavy and light yorkers and pigs, $10.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 300; steady, top sheep, $6; top lambs, $12.50.

Calves—Receipts, 100; lower; top, $15.

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$3.75 Toy Wardrobe Trunks.. $2.39
$2.50 Toy Pianos............ $1.59
$4.50 Baby Grand Piano...... $3.39
$1.75 Laundry Sets.......... $1.19
50c Embroidery Work Box, imported 39c
59c Doll House and Dolls...... 39c
29c Toy Scales, with weights.. 19c
$1.50 Polyanna Game.......... 89c
60c Christmas Stockings...... 39c
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CASE AGAINST BRUCE CAMERON DISMISSED AT SPRINGFIELD

Formal Action Taken in Court Following Nolle Prosequi Order by McDaniel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 9.—The case against Bruce Cameron, former superintendent of transportation of the United Railways Co., charged with burglary in the second degree and larceny in the referendum petition case of June, 1918, was dismissed today, on an order of nolle prosequi entered by Circuit Attorney McDaniel of St. Louis.

McDaniel's purpose was made known yesterday, in a letter to the Prosecuting Attorney here, who took the formal action in court. The dismissal was due to the decision of Judge Patterson, Sept. 7, sustaining a demurrer to the State's evidence in the similar case of Richard McCulloch, president of the United Railways Corporation, and directing the jury to acquit McCulloch.

EXAMINATION SAID TO SHOW NO BLOOD ON ALBERT ELLIS' CLOTHES

Report Made by City Bacteriologist After He Has Garments a Week.

Garments said to be those which Albert Ellis was wearing on the night of Nov. 4, when Edna Ellis was killed with a razor in a lot near North Market street and Garrison avenue, have been examined by Dr. C. W. Schery, City Bacteriologist, with a view to learning whether any of the stains on them were caused by human blood. Dr. Schery reported today that he found no bloodstains on the garments.

The garments were coat, trousers, shoes, necktie and hat. The coat lapel had a dark brown stain, which had stiffened the cloth, but the examination showed that it was apparently from some substance which Ellis might have used in his work as an electrical repair man.

The garments were taken to the bacteriologist's office last Thursday, and the examination was completed yesterday. The garments will be returned to the police of the Dayton Street Station.

Ellis signed a confession, three days after the murder, stating that he killed the girl because of jealousy. The lawyer who is now handling his case intends apparently to contest the introduction of this confession in his trial, and to contend that it was obtained by improper means.

MAN SAYS HE TOOK $5.50 AWAY FROM ANOTHER FOR OLD DEBT

Confectionery Proprietor, Arrested on Customer's Complaint, Denies He Used Revolver.

William Else, 22, of 1924 Laflin avenue, told the police that at 6:30 o'clock last night he went into the confectionery store of Louis Fagan, 21, at 2126 Carr street, to buy some tobacco and that Fagan pointed a revolver at him and took $5.50 from his pockets.

When arrested Fagan said that Else had owed him money for three years and that last night when he suggested payment Else laughed at him.

"I grabbed him, ran my hand into his pocket and took what money he had to apply on the debt," Fagan said. He denied that he had exhibited a revolver.

POLICEMAN SHOT BY ROBBER SAID TO HAVE FIGHTING CHANCE

Charles M. Daly in Critical Condition From Wound Inflicted Tuesday Night.

Charles M. Daly, special policeman of the Magnolia avenue district, who was shot in the abdomen and left thigh Tuesday night by a man who ordered him to put up his hands in front of his home, 4021 Forest Park boulevard, is still in a critical condition at St. John's Hospital.

It was reported from the hospital today that Daly had a restless night and that there had been no change in his condition. After an operation yesterday it was said he had "a fighting chance" for recovery.

Illinois Private Bank Suspends.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 9.—The private bank at Colfax of J. L. Barnes & Son suspended business today. It is asserted the institution is solvent, but will require time to convert farmers' notes on hand into cash.

DEATHS

ALEXANDER—At El Paso, Texas, Friday, Dec. 3, 1920, Sergt. Harry W. Alexander, dearly beloved son of E. B. and Mary Alexander, dear brother of Estelle, Arthur, Alonzo, Ruth, Esther, Grace, Mabel and Marie Alexander, dear brother-in-law and uncle, aged 33 years.
Funeral from family residence, 1149 Bayard avenue, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 9 a. m., to Visitation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c)

BAMBERGER—Entered into rest at her residence, 2520 California avenue, suddenly, on Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, at 4 p. m., Friedericke Louise Bamberger (nee Linck), widow of the late George Bamberger, dear mother of Mrs. Tony Niederwieser, and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, in her eighty-sixth year.
Remains in state at Witt Bros.' chapel, 2929 South Jefferson avenue. Funeral Friday, Dec. 10, at 3 p. m., to Missouri Crematory.
Little Rock (Ark.) papers please copy.

BRANDON—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 8:40 p. m., Rachel E. Brandon, wife of M. B. Brandon, mother of Henry, M. B. Jr., George and David Brandon.
Funeral from residence, 1323 North Euclid avenue, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 2:30 p. m.

BRANDT—Suddenly, at 3811A Kossuth avenue, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 6:30 a. m., John L. Brandt, aged 68 years, dearly beloved husband of Mrs. Kate Young Brandt and dear father of Edward L. Brandt and Mrs. W. Nutter of Chicago, Ill., and our dear father-in-law, grandfather and brother.
Funeral Saturday, Dec. 11, at 2 p. m., from Wm. F. Paschedag's chapel, 2825 North Grand avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Jefferson Lodge No. 119, I. O. O. F. (5)

CRAIGHEAD—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 2:30 a. m., William Elmer Craighead, husband of Beulah Clark Craighead.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 5769 De Giverville avenue, on Friday afternoon, Dec. 10, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Valhalla Cemetery. (c)

DRAKE—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 9:50 a. m., Louisa Drake (nee Schmidt), dear mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, sister, sister-in-law and aunt, at the age of 57 years.
Funeral on Friday, Dec. 10, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee st., to St. Matthew's Cemetery.

DEATHS

FRIEDRICH—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 1:30 a. m., at Grand Hotel, Cincinnati, Harry W. Friedrich, brother of Mrs. G. F. Bell and Christine Friedrich.
Burial at St. Charles, Mo., Friday morning. (c)

GARRIGAN—On Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920, at 3:30 a. m., Catherine Garrigan, relict of Patrick Garrigan, mother of E. H. Boeck, Mrs. L. B. Appelbaum, Steve Garrigan and the late Andy Garrigan, and dear grandmother.
Funeral from residence of L. B. Appelbaum, Marshall and Tuxedo avenues, St. John's Station, Saturday, Dec. 11, at 8:30 a. m., to Presentation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c5)

GIESE—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 6 p. m., Theresa Giese (nee Graff), beloved wife of the late Herman L. Giese, dear mother of Joseph, Sophia, Albert, Herman Jr., Theresa and Julie Giese, aged 68 years.
Funeral from residence(1828 South Seventh street, Saturday, Dec. 11, at 2 p. m., to St. Peter's Cemetery. (c5)

HOPMANN—On Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 4 a. m., Raymond M. Hopmann, aged 1 year, dear son of Christ F. and Alma Hopmann (nee Klein) and our dear brother and grandson.
Funeral Friday, Dec. 10, at 2 p. m., from residence, 4836 Natural Bridge avenue, to Zion's Cemetery. (4)

HUSKEY—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 4:10 p. m., at Chester, Ill., Florence Huskey (nee McNamara), dear wife of Albert C. Huskey, dear mother of Ruth, Jeanette and Albert Jr., dear daughter of James and Sarah McNamara (nee Gunning), dear sister of James Jr., Mrs. D. W. Holmes, Mrs. W. F. Kuhlman, Mrs. J. A. Booth, Ruth, J. Robert, Joseph, Walter and Carroll E. McNamara, at the age of 35 years.
Due notice of funeral from residence of mother, 2331 Rutger street, to be given later.
New York, Jefferson City (Mo.), De Soto (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

IVERS—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 7:30 p. m., Nancy J. Ivers (nee Jones), beloved wife of the late Alonzo Ivers and our dear mother, grandmother and sister, aged 67 years.
Funeral from the Leidner chapel, 2223 St. Louis avenue, Saturday, Dec. 11, at 2:30 p. m., to Friedens Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.
St. Joseph (Mo.) papers, please copy.

McMAHON—Entered into rest Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, at 3:10 p. m., John McMahon, beloved husband of Bridget McMahon (nee Grady), dear father of Mary, Jennie and Rose McMahon, Mrs. L. O. Scheller and Mrs. W. J. Rohlmann and brother of Mrs. Kate Noonan.
Funeral will take place from residence, 4131A Kennerly avenue, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Matthew's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

MITULSKI (MILLER)—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, at 4:20 p. m., John F. Mitulski, beloved father of Viola Budzyla (nee Mitulski), Catherine Hurd (nee Mitulski), Anna Ciszkowski (nee Mitulski), Frand E., John B. and Joseph H. Mitulski and our dear grandfather and uncle, at the age of 58 years, 6 months and 24 days.
Funeral Friday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 a. m., from family residence, 1312 North Twentieth street, to St. Nicholas' Church. Interment in Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited.
Detroit (Mich.) papers please copy. (c4)

O'NEILL—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 12:10 a. m., Mary O'Neill (nee Cooney), relict of Edward O'Neill, beloved mother of Mrs. Joseph Demartin, Mrs. Andrew Stevenson, Mrs. Clifford Gonder and Edward O'Neill, our dear grandmother, great-grandmother and mother-in-law.
Funeral Saturday, Dec. 11, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 312 Convent street, to Annunciation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

O'ROURKE—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 1 a. m., Helen O'Rourke, beloved daughter of Patrick J. and the late Julia O'Rourke, dear sister of John, Catherine and Margaret O'Rourke.
The funeral will take place from funeral rooms of the August Brockland L. & U. Co., 1827 Hogan street, on Friday, Dec. 10, at 8 a. m., to St. Matthew's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

OBRIST—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920, at 4:30 a. m., Theodore Obrist, beloved husband of Katherine Obrist (nee O'Laughlin), father of Elmer and Alphonsus Obrist, our dear grandfather and uncle.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 5942A Theodosia avenue. Due notice of time will be given.

SCHAEFER—Suddenly, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 2 a. m., Catherine Schaefer (nee Richards), widow of the late William Schaefer, and beloved mother of Mrs. George T. McClure, Arthur J. Schaefer, George W. Schaefer, Mrs. Austin J. Rust, Mrs. Ben. J. Charleville, Mrs. F. Delos Reynolds, Elsie L. Schaefer and the late William R. Schaefer.
Funeral from residence, 4121 Juniata street, Friday, Dec. 10, at 2:30 p. m., to Missouri Crematory. (c4)

SCHOKMILLER—Entered into rest at residence, 3831A Page avenue, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 9:15 p. m., Gottlieb Henry Schokmiller, dear father of Charles H. Schokmiller, father-in-law of Mrs. Alice Schokmiller, grandfather of Charles F. Schokmiller.
Funeral from Bergesch funeral parlors, 3661 Washington boulevard, on Saturday, Dec. 11, 1920, at 2 p. m., to Valhalla Cemetery. (c5)

SCHROEDER—Entered into rest at Tulsa, Okla., on Dec. 7, 1920, at 10:45 p. m., Pauline Schroeder (nee Keimer), beloved mother of Mrs. A. Altepeter, Mrs. N. Stewart, Mrs. R. Short and Edward Schroeder, dear mother-in-law and grandmother, in her eighty-second year.
Funeral Friday, Dec. 10, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 7816 Murdock avenue, to St. Michael's Church, Shrewsbury, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

WATSON—Entered into rest Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920, Alex G. Watson, after a lingering illness, aged 47 years, beloved husband of Mamie Watson (nee Hobbins), and our dear father.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Ben A. Kive Aid Society members, kindly attend the funeral of our late sister, Rachael Brandon, from her late residence, 1323 North Euclid, Friday at 2:30 p. m. Signed
M. BOBOLSKY, Pres.
MRS. D. LANGFELDER, Secy. (c)

UNDERTAKERS

PEETZ BROS.
Funeral chapel, 2739 Lafayette av.; auto ambulance; no charge for chapel. (c62)

PERSONAL

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the C. & O. Lumber Co. will be held at the office of the company, 1212 Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo., beginning at 9 a. m., on Tuesday, Dec. 21, 1920.
The object of the meeting is to consider and act upon a proposition of California & Oregon Lumber Co. to purchase all the properties and assets of the company, and also to take action to dissolve the company and relinquish its charter.
JOHN W. OWEN, Secretary. A. R. OWEN, President. (c8)

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Brookings Land & Townsite Co. will be held at at the office of the company, 1212 Federal Reserve Bank Bldg., St. Louis, Mo., beginning at 9 a. m., on Tuesday, Dec. 21, 1920.
The object of the meeting is to consider and act upon a proposition of California & Oregon Lumber Co. to purchase all the properties and assets of the company, and also to take action to dissolve the company and relinquish its charter.
JOHN W. OWEN, Secretary. A. R. OWEN, President. (c8)

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
To the stockholders of the Liberty Bank of St. Louis: You are hereby notified that on Friday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1920, there will be had and held a meeting of the stockholders of the Liberty Bank of St. Louis at the banking rooms, Broadway and Pine street, St. Louis, Missouri, for the purpose of ratifying the resolutions of the board of directors of said bank authorizing the assumption of the liabilities and the acquisition of the assets of the Central National Bank of St. Louis, and more particularly to vote upon a certain proposition to convert the Liberty Bank of St. Louis into a trust company under the laws of the State of Missouri to be known as the "Liberty Central Trust Company," with a capital of $3,000,000.00 and $1,000,000.00 surplus and an undivided profits account, the capital and surplus to be furnished on a pro rata book value basis from the assets of the Central National Bank and the Liberty Bank of St. Louis, and for the consideration of such other business in connection with the above special business as the necessity of the case may require.
The polls for voting will be open at 9 o'clock a. m., and will continue open until 12 o'clock noon of said day.
J. L. JOHNSTON, President.
E. BARKLAGE, Cashier.
Dated at St. Louis, Mo., this 23d day of November, A. D. 1920. (c8)

LOST and FOUND

LOST

ARMY DISCHARGE—Lost; Sam'l T. Leath. Return to 5615 Manchester av.; reward.

AUTO RADIATOR—Lost, Wednesday, between 7100 and 7600 south; and hood cover. Please return to 7527 Virginia or call Riverside 308M; reward. (c)

LOST AND FOUND

LOST

BAG—Lost; black velvet; containing watch; reward. Return to 4257 Russell.

BAR PIN—Lost, in vicinity of 7100 Pershing, one platinum and diamond, and four diamond rings, on Sunday; liberal reward. Cabany 561. (c5)

BEAGLE HOUND—Pup; black and white spots, black and tan ears; answers to name Prince. 6105 Southwest. (c)

BOOKS—Lost, two; one note book; on University-Olive car; Louis D. Maguolo, Washington University, on inside of cover; reward. (c)

BROOCH—Lost; diamond center, with 4 pearls on one prong and 5 on next around 10; lost at Bridge movie show or Phelan drug store or in vicinity of Euclid and Natural Bridge av.; liberal reward. 4820 Alcase. Cabany 1020W. (c)

CAMEO BROOCH—Lost; light background; reward. Forest 933R.

CAMEO PIN—Lost; pink and white; reward. Lindell 1775J. (c6)

CHAIN—Lost; drawing chain to truck; return to 2216 Chestnut; reward.

COIN PURSE—Lost, on Neosho st., Monday afternoon; reward. 4608 S. Grand. (c)

DIAMOND—Lost; unmounted; reward. Call Olive 5783. (c)

DIAMOND RING—Lost; Dec. 3, on 7th st., between Russell and Allen; orphan's keepsake; reward. 713 Russell.

DIAMOND BROOCH—Lost; containing diamonds and pearls, in downtown district. Address 5159 Raymond or phone Forest 7768; reward. (c)

DOG—Lost; female; brown; name Brownie; liberal reward. 2935 Olive st.

DOG—Lost; beagle hound, Monday night; white, black and tan. 3212A Utah. (c)

DOG—Lost, Airedale, female pup; liberal reward; return to 7336 Lohmeyer, Maplewood. (6)

DOG—Lost; airedale, 5 months old; license No. 15652. 5078 Washington. Forest 1346. (c)

DOG—Lost; pointer; liver and white; gunshy; reward. Horstman, 2503 Maiden Lane. (c)

DOGS—Lost, two collies, male and female, one white, one brown, Sunday night. Central 376. Colfax 821. John Volz, 826 East Prairie; reward. (c4)

DOG—Lost, strayed or stolen; fox terrier, all white except black face; $5 reward for return or information leading to his return. A. Hoffmann, 3531 Hartford. (4)

DOG—Lost; Boston bull, brindle color, white markings, screw tail, uncut ears; Clayton license on collar; suitable reward. Cabany 6450.

ENVELOPE—Lost, on Park av. car, at 39th and Shenandoah, containing letters which were being kept for friends; liberal reward. Box N-128, Post-Dispatch. (c)

FILMS—Lost, moving picture films; first episode of "The Flaming Disc," at Jefferson and Olive; return and receive liberal reward. Lidel Theater, 6919 S. Broadway, or to Universal Film Exchange, 2116 Locust st. (4)

FOXHOUND—Lost; scar on right hind leg; answers to name Tip; reward. A. Wagner, 402 East Davis.

FUR NECKPIECE—Lost, child's, at Kresge's, 4121 Glasgow.

GLASSES—Lost; nose pinchers, with light tortoise shell rim; reward. Return to 2307 Cherokee. (c)

HAT—Lost, dark blue satin hat, between 5100 and 5300 Delmar; call after 3 p. m. or before 8 a. m.; reward. Cabany 6096W.

HOUND—Lost; black and tan, female; reward for information or return. 5642 Theodosia. Cabany 2678J.

LA VALLIERE—Lost, with topaz setting. Call 4815 Natural Bridge. (c8)

MONEY—Lost; $100, in bills; reward. Box W-196, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY—Lost; in purse; between 6th and Washington, 9th and Locust. Return to 3723 Page. Delmar 3420J; liberal reward.

NECKPIECE—Lost; fur; Sunday night. Return 4415A Holly av.; reward. (c)

PACKAGE—Lost; Wednesday; head scarf; Lee av. car; reward. Forest 8937J.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, lady's, black, containing $15; one $10 bill and one $5; also a certificate from Missouri Business School. Notify Florence Crume at Missouri School, 1909 Blair; reward.

PORTFOLIO—Lost; tan leather; complete set of photographs of baker's machinery; reward. The Becker Co., 1122 Pine. (c)

PUP—Lost; beagle hound; black and white spots, black and tan ears; answers to name Prince. 6105 Southwest. (c)

PURSE—Lost; lady's; containing money; on Jefferson av., between Pestalozzi and Crittenden; liberal reward. 2105 Arsenal.

PURSE—Lost; black patent leather change purse, containing 2 $10 bills and change, at or between Scruggs and Famous-Barr; liberal reward. Forest 5941J.

RING—Lost; cameo; Tuesday night, on Neosho, Virginia, Nebraska, Itaska or Broadway. Return to A. H. Eggers, 3220 Neosho; reward. (6)

SIDE-GATE FOR TRUCK—Lost; marked "Pure apple cider." Return to 114 N. 1st. Central 4203. (c5)

SIDE GATE—Lost, for truck, between 13th and Howard and 7th and Spruce. Meyer-Schmid Grocer Co., 417 S. 7th; Main 2360.

SPECTACLES—Lost, on Bellefontaine car, Dec. 8, pair of spectacles; tortoise shell rims; finder deliver to 4318 Virginia; receive $2 reward, or telephone Victor 2641R.

STICKPIN—$10 reward and no questions asked for return of diamond horseshoe stickpin. W. H. Markham & Co., 1601 Railway Exchange. (c62)

SUIT CASE—Lost, between Rolla and St. James, on auto road; containing baby clothes and toilet articles; reward for return. Charles W. Fullgraf, 6828 Scanlan av., St. Louis, Mo. (c14)

SUNBURST—Lost, diamond, and $10 bill; yellow bag; reward. Lindell 6550.

THIMBLE—Gold and silver; reward. 4062 Maffitt. D. E. Grand.

UMBRELLA—Lost, Tuesday evening; with initials L. L.; kindly return. 5653 Julian, receive liberal reward. (c)

UMBRELLA—Lost; gold handle; Saturday, on City Limits car; more for keepsake. Liberal reward. Central 5204R. (c4)

WATCH CHAIN—Lost; man's; heavy. M. Kessler, Central 1448R. (5)

WATCH CHARM—Lost; Knights of Pythias; horseshoe with seven stones; reward. 3740 S. Grand. Sidney 2062.

WATCH FOB—Lost; gold; S. S. B. engraved on charm; reward. Call Central 2907. Olive 4796.

$50 REWARD and no questions asked, for return of articles taken from window of Drosten Jewelry Co. W. H. Markham & Co., 1601 Railway Exchange Bldg. (c62)

FOUND

DOCTOR'S GRIP—Found; St. Louis County. Call Riverside 107. (c)

DOGS—Found; 2 Boston brindle female; uncut ears; stub tail poodle female, brown tinge. Lindell 1126. (c4)

POCKETBOOK—Found, near Lafayette Park. Phone Victor 2640R. (c89)

BUSINESS CARDS

ELECTRIC WIRING, ETC.

THE Edw. Cooke Electric Co., licensed and bonded electricians. Phone us for wiring and fixtures estimates. Colfax 1614. Forissant and Gano avs.; Central 5133. (c62)

NOW is the time to get a real job of electrical work for a real price and have satisfaction guaranteed. F. B. Williams, 4708 McMillan. Forest 2261J, Delmar 3614R.

$55—WIRES 6 ROOMS—$55
With 2 flush switches; beautiful bowl in parlor, 3-light shower in dining room and four 1-light chains. COLUMBIA ELECTRIC CO., 1109 Pine st. Olive 2737. (c62)

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES

GAS PIPES blown out, guaranteed, $2.50. 5109 Kensington; Forest 7459R.

GAS pipes cleaned, $2.50; guaranteed. S. J. Seeley, gasfitter. Cent. 9668L. Lin. 334M. (c14)

GAS PIPES blown out, $3.50; we don't tear up your floor, cut your pipes or dirty your house; we don't want your money unless you are satisfied. John Schoen Plumbing Co., 1411 Wright st. Kinloch, Central 5367; Bell, Tyler 2096W. (c62)

GENTS' old hats cleaned, redyed and retrimmed, like new. Meyer, 618 N. Broadway. (c8)

PRINTING AND ADDRESSING

AA1—Cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 123 N. 11th st. Cent. 7178R. (c14)

STORAGE AND MOVING

ADVANCE Moving Co., $4.50 load, or contract; furniture in exchange. Bomont 1329. (c8)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 1903 Sidney st.; fireproof warehouse. Victor 607, Sidney 235. (c8)

ALWAYS best service, moving, storage and shipping. Prosser's, 3220 Olive. Bomont 807, Central 5532. (c62)

BRASCH'S $25,000 bonded warehouse; separate iron rooms; motor service; furniture taken in exchange for moving. Bomont Central 2978. (8)

MOVING by load or contract; long-distance hauling a specialty; calls answered on Sundays. John Jourdain, 1418 Cass av.; Central 6073. (c8)

ARE you moving? We save you $1 per hour; bonded, reliable. Lindell 2159. Sloan's Moving Co., 705 N. Vandeventer. (c55)

MOVING and storage at lowest rates; piano packing and shipping our specialty; phone us and our man will call and contract your moving; once tried always wanted. O. K. Moving Co., 1829 Park. Sidney 378. (c62)

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

As we have no information bureau, it is impossible to answer queries by mail or telephone. Query for Sunday must be mailed a week beforehand.

R. G.—Apply to any book store for the books wanted.

C. DANIEL—Ask for the book you desire at the Public Library.

FISHY.—It is possible to drown fish, as air is necessary to their life. A fish does not drink air, it breathes air.

J. M. RUNNELLO.—Write to the War Department, Washington, D. C., for information regarding the infantry officer.

VENEDY—Write to the Illinois Mine Commissioner, State House, Springfield, Ill., for such information concerning coal mines.

J. H. C.—Write to the Soldiers' Settlement Board, State House, Jefferson City, Mo., concerning the farm loan grant to ex-soldiers.

P.-D. READER—Polling places for the special election in the Thirty-second District were announced in the Post-Dispatch of Dec. 8.

A. P. K.—See answer to X. Y. Z. which appeared in this column on Dec. 1. There are approximately 45 legal holidays observed in the various States throughout the United States, however, those observed generally over the States are: New Year's day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial day, Fourth of July, Labor day, Election day, Thanksgiving day, Christmas.

CSUSS.—The following are the United States Senators, 96 in all: Alabama, Oscar W. Underwood and Braxton Bragg Comer; Arizona, Henry F. Ashurst and Marcus A. Smith; Arkansas, Joseph T. Robinson and William F. Kirby; California, James D. Phelan and Hiram W. Johnson; Colorado, Charles S. Thomas and Lawrence C. Phipps; Connecticut, Frank B. Brandegee and George P. McLean; Delaware, Josiah O. Wolcott and L. Heisler Ball; Florida, Duncan U. Fletcher and Park Trammell; Georgia, Hoke Smith and William J. Harris; Idaho, William E. Borah and John F. Nugent; Illinois, Lawrence Y. Sherman and Medill McCormick; Indiana, James E. Watson and Harry S. New; Iowa, Albert B. Cummins and William S. Kenyon; Kansas, Charles Curtis and Arthur Capper; Kentucky, J. C. W. Beckham and A. Owsley Stanley; Louisiana, Joseph E. Randell and Edward J. Gay; Maine, Bert M. Fernald and Frederick Hale; Maryland, John Walter Smith and Joseph I. France; Massachusetts, Henry Cabot Lodge and David I. Walsh; Michigan, Charles E. Townsend and Truman H. Newberry; Minnesota, Knute Nelson and Frank B. Kellogg; Mississippi, John Sharp Williams and Pat Harrison; Missouri, James A. Reed and Selden P. Spencer; Montana, Henry L. Myers and Thomas J. Walsh; Nebraska, Gilbert M. Hitchcock and George W. Norris; Nevada, Key Pittman and Charles B. Henderson; New Hampshire, George H. Moses and Henry W. Keyes; New Jersey, Joseph S. Frelinghuysen and Walter E. Edge; New Mexico, Albert B. Fall and Andrieus A. Jones; New York, James W. Wadsworth Jr. and William M. Calder; North Carolina, Furnifold M. Simmons and Lee S. Overman; North Dakota, Porter J. McCumber and Asle J. Gronna; Ohio, Atlee Pomerene and Warren G. Harding; Oklahoma, Thomas P. Gore and Robert L. Owen; Oregon, George E. Chamberlain and Charles L. McNary; Pennsylvania, Boies Penrose and Philander C. Knox; Rhode Island, LeBaron B. Colt and Peter G. Gerry; South Carolina, Ellison D. Smith and Nathaniel B. Dial; South Dakota, Thomas Sterling and Edwin S. Johnson; Tennessee, John K. Shields and Kenneth McKellar; Texas, Charles A. Culberson and Morris Sheppard; Utah, Reed Smoot and William H. King; Vermont, William P. Dillingham and Carroll S. Page; Virginia, Claude A. Swanson and Carter Glass; Washington, Wesley L. Jones and Miles Poindexter; West Virginia, Howard Sutherland and Davis Elkins; Wisconsin, Robert M. La Follette and Irvine L. Lenroot; Wyoming, Francis E. Warren and John B. Kendrick. New York State has a population of 10,384,144, which is the largest in the United States, the next in rank being Pennsylvania, with a population of 8,720,159.

LEGAL INFORMATION.

(Prepared by a Member of the St. Louis Bar Association.)

INDIGNANT.—A person can be made to pay the reasonable value of the doctor's services, whatever that may be.

IN DOUBT.—Prohibition officers are not supposed to enter private homes unless the party is selling alcoholic beverages.

A READER.—We do not think they will take your husband's savings. He might hire a lawyer in case action is brought.

X. Y. Z.—The store can sue both you and your husband for payment, if it wishes. A note made out by a girl after she has become 18 years of age, payable to her father, is binding, and in the event of the father's death, the amount can be deducted from the estate.

J. B. W.—Under the circumstances you should sue for divorce in St. Louis. The witnesses depositions can be taken, and they need not testify personally. You cannot be arrested for desertion if you had a good reason for leaving your wife. One year must elapse before your wife can sue on a desertion charge. Your attorney might not be notified of any action taken, even though your wife knows who he is. A child 8 years of age can be supenaed as a witness.

MEDICAL QUESTIONS.

(Answers prepared by a physician of authority. Health and sanitation questions of public interest only will be considered. Diagnoses or treatment of individual cases will not be given. Questions that cannot be publicly discussed, if showing evidences of sincerity, will be answered when accompanied by stamped envelope.)

I. AM NOISY.—Superfluous hair is removed by all dermatologists. If properly done, scarring is minute and does not signify. The price de-depends upon the operator.

J. G.—We doubt if, your being out of the service a year, you would be eligible to Government assistance. Inquire at the Marine Hospital, Marine avenue near Broadway. If you cannot get assistance there, apply at the Chest Clinic in the Old City Hall, Eleventh and Chestnut, or at the City Dispensary, also in the Old City Hall.

N. E. P.—It is common for one who has had the disease, or who thinks he had had it, to ascribe every and any succeeding ailment to it. Your condition may be due to this disease, but the chances are it is a separate condition, possibly an eczema. Such a case, however, needs personal supervision, and should be under the care of a dermatologist.

2X PLUS 3Y.—The condition you describe is unusual. There seems one outstanding fact, however, that is suggestive, and that is that when vomiting occurs, as the result of drinking water, the condition is apparently remedied. This would suggest regular and continued washing out of the stomach with the stomach tube, and we would advise this together with very simple, easily digestible foods until the stomach shows ability to stand a more liberal diet. It might be well also to aid digestion by pepsin or some similar digestive aid.

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Now in our new warehouse, 5201 Delmar bl. (c62)

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Household goods and automobile shipments forwarded at greatly reduced rates to California and all Pacific Coast points, Texas, Oklahoma and Colorado; through cars; no transfer en route, assuring safe transportation; prompt and reliable service. (c62)

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A. G. BRAUER SUPPLY CO.
Stove repairs. 316-318 N. Third st. (c8)

FURNACES, HEATING, ETC.

FURNACE REPAIRS.
Royal, National and all other makes. WM. A. TIPTON, 4948-50 Easton av. (c62)

WALL PAPER CLEANING, ETC.

MEDIUM rooms papered, $8; good mechanics. Nagle, 3832 Laclede. Lindell 5245W. Delmar 3477J. (4)

ROOMS papered, $5 and up. T. C. Hunicke, 4418 Chouteau. Grand 4481W. (c2)

ROOMS papered, $4.50 up; for holidays only. Bisch, 3518 California. Sidney 415J.

ROOMS papered; reasonable prices. Ben Westmann, 4636 S. Compton. Riverside 357M. (5)

PROFESSIONAL

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

CENTRAL LAW BUREAU, 810-12 Chestnut. Legal matters, all courts; advice free. (c8)

AUDITING AND ACCOUNTING

BOOKS audited, evenings; income tax work; rates reasonable. O. L. Rauck. Forest 6481W. (c4)

DANCING

PARTY nights; big night; every Thursday, Bernhardt's, 3205 Park; 3 blocks east of Grand.

PRIVATE DANCING—4415 Washington bl.; guaranteed in six lessons. Mrs. Miller, Forest 4809. (c62)

PRIVATE LESSONS, any hour; latest dances; guaranteed reliable; oldest school. 1901 Lafayette.

PRINCESS—4470 Easton; lessons Tues. evening; parties Thursday, Sat. and Sun. evenings. Deck's banjo orchestra. Grand 5153. Buckman & Deck. (c69)

DANCING

SPEND a real evening at the second annual dance given by instructors at Princess Academy, 4470 Easton av., Thursday evening, Dec. 9. Deck's jazz orchestra. (c4)

$50 IN cash and valuable prizes given away at our masquerade and domino dance Saturday evening, Dec. 11. North St. Louis dancing Academy, 20th and Salisbury. (c9)

DO I DANCE the latest steps? I'll say I do. I just can't make my feet behave since I took a term of lessons at Adams' private dancing school, 3965 West Pine bl. Lindell 4745. (c8)

BERNHARDT'S teaches correct dancing; nothing misrepresented; no failures; lessons daily; any hour; 7 private lessons, $3; class, 6, $1; parties Thursdays, Saturdays; strangers introduced. 3205 Park, 3 blocks east of Grand. (2)

DANCING taught in 4 private lessons at any hour; classes nightly; 50 expert instructors; results guaranteed. Established 1911. Arcadia School of Dancing, 3523 Olive st. Phone Lindell 4358. Central 2417. (c8)

LEARN to dance at Cave Dancing Academy, 29th and Olive sts. Afternoon classes every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Evening classes every Wednesday and Friday, beginning at 8 o'clock. Private lessons by appointment. Call or phone Bomont 2999. (c8)

DANCE UNDER A MILLION JEWELS.
The most unique and spectacular lighting effect ever invented. Every dancer is actually in it. A dazzling transformation unlike anything you have ever seen. Come and enjoy the sensation. Every Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings at Cave Dancing Academy, Olive and 29th st. (c8)

DENTISTS

DR. J. H. SAUL, dentist, n. w. corner 14th and Cass, above Kroger's store. Open evenings until 8:30. Central 5002R. (c92)

DETECTIVES

DETECTIVE SNYDER, expert, with lady assistant; shadowing, investigating. 4633 Newberry. Forest 7594. (8)

DETECTIVE—Does shadowing, investigating, locates missing people; confidential. 3678 Finney; phones Lindell 3102, Delmar 3744X. (7)

MISS JACKSON, lady detective, does shadowing and investigating; thoroughly reliable and competent; strictly confidential. 5002 Cates. Forest 5426. (15)

EX-OFFICER—Does shadowing, investigating, locates missing people. Offices 817-816 Carleton Bldg., 6th and Olive. Phone Olive 3717. (8)

MEDICAL

WOMEN AND GIRLS cared for during confinement. Liberty Hospital, 4267 Delmar. (c58)

FREE CLINIC—Maternity cases, eye, ear, nose and throat cases and all general work, osteopathic and surgical; rupture cases; glasses fitted. This clinic is conducted for the poor and is strictly charitable; all work done by graduate physicians; no students. For admission to clinic apply to Liberty Hospital, 4267 Delmar bl. (c58)

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY

BEADING and embroidery done on dresses. Cabany 5421. (c4)

UNDERWEAR made to order; camisoles, fancy work and Christmas novelties in stock. 5467 Maple av.; Forest 8943. (1)

WANTED—Shirts to make; reasonable. 6612 Colorado av. (6)

THEATRICAL

AMATEURS—Lindell Theater; every Friday night; prizes $10, $5, $3. (c34)

AMATEURS Wtd.—Juvenile; every Friday; cash prizes. New Shenandoah Theater, 2225 S. Broadway. (c)

SINGERS Wtd.—For the Co-operative Grand Opera Society. Apply to M. A. Rossini, Musical Art Bldg., Boyle and Olive. (c5)

BARBOUR MOTION PICTURE PRODUCING COMPANY
Is desirous of interviewing ladies and gentlemen of refinement and appearance wishing to qualify for the motion picture field as actresses and actors; interviews can be arranged any afternoon or evening by calling or communicating with downtown studio, 501 Columbia Theater bldg.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

MEN, BOYS

BAKER—Sit.; third hand; steady; night work in small bakery shop. J. Metzger, 3941 Chouteau.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit.; and cashier; accurate, good penman; married; references; salary $100 month. Box W-114, Post-Dis. (4)

CHAUFFEUR—Wants sit. in private family; married man; 8 years' experience; good references. Delmar 1881X (4)

CORRESPONDENT—Position in sales or traffic departments; references furnished. Box W-116, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BRANCH MANAGER—Salesman; competent, successful, having car, desires city representation for reputable firm, preferably in drug or allied line; well acquainted with local trade; highest references from former employers. Box W-106, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by young Swede in private family; drive and repair any make; best references. Box W-242, Post-Dis. (4)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit.; colored; experienced, or porter; good reference. Phone Lindell 2114W.

CAMP COOK—Sit. by experienced combination. Phone Cabany 1254J.

CARPENTER—Sit.; general carpenter and millwright; as maintenance man. G. E. Wood, 3536 Easton. Lindell 3323W.

CLERK—Sit. in news and cigar store; 8 years' experience; best of references. Box W-299, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ENGINEER—Sit.; licensed; capable of taking charge of plant; best references. Box W-226, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ENGINEER—Sit.; derrick operator; clam shell, all kinds hoisting machines, concrete mixers, road rollers, rebuilding or overhauling; 20 years' experience; reference. Box W-22, Post-Dispatch. (5)

HOTEL PORTER—Or bellboy; experienced, desires employment in small downtown hotel; best references furnished. Call Lindell 6251R. Ask for Strong. (89)

HOUSEMAN—Sit.; experienced on firing any make boiler. Call or write James Hill, 4218 Fairfax.

MAN—Sit.; 34; married; wants work of any kind. F. J. Holzer, 4652 Ashland av.

MAN—With light delivery truck wants work of any kind. Cabany 2977.

MAN—Sit. by colored; housework; 6 years' experience; married. Hilton Dockin, 5 S. 22d st.

MAN—Sit.; colored; porter, help tire changer or furnace; houseman; references. Sam, Bomont 3261J. (7)

MAN—Night sit.; to enable me to be home during day with aged mother. Box P-69, Post-Dispatch. (89)

MAN—Well educated, young, at present employed, wishes position in office that offers good future, with progressive concern. Box W-35, Post-Dispatch. (6)

MAN—Young, desires employment pertaining to literary or salesmanship; most any work preferred, in Southeast Missouri. A. Muckerhawn, 629 Thamis, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

MECHANIC—Sit.; all-round electrician, pipefitter, general engineering work, erecting, operating. Address X. Y. Z., 3332 S. Broadway.

MAINTENANCE ENGINEER—Sit.; in charge of design and installation of plant equipment. Box W-303, Post-Dispatch. (4)

NIGHT WATCHMAN—Sit. by experienced man, with best of references; understands firing and heating. Grand 423W. Box N-252, Post-Dispatch. (5)

PAINTER—Sit.; wants apartment house work or property owner. Rosenburg, 785 Aubert.

PRINTER—Sit. by all-round man; thoroughly experienced on composition, lockup and press work. Box W-296, Post-Dis. (5)

SALESMAN—Would like staple line with reliable house; 5 years' sales experience. Box W-73, Post-Dispatch.

TIMEKEEPER—Sit.; construction and railroad work; camp clerk, railroad clerk. Box W-375, Post-Dispatch. (7)

YOUNG MAN—Sit.; to learn the restaurant business. Box W-374, Post-Dispatch. (6)

YOUNG MAN—Sit.; 19; with good education; wishes a permanent position. Phone Sidney 3599R. (4)

SITUATIONS—WOMEN, GIRLS

CATERESS—Sit.; specialty; meals planned and served properly; information, call Forest 5719W. (6)

COOK—Sit.; A1; where dining-room maid is employed; cooking only. Lindell 4418W.

GIRL—Sit.; colored, assist in housework, after school. Bomont 3212J. Kate.

GIRL—Sit.; neat; colored; as laundress or cleaning; Friday and Saturday. Bomont 2145.

GIRL—Sit.; by neat colored girl, as dishwasher; please call after 5. Bomont 2051W.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit.; in small family; no washing. 6340 Etzel.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit.; colored girl; housework, nurse or dishwasher. 4024 Lucky.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by refined young woman; nice part of city; near school; have small son. Box J-96, Post-Dis.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; by lady, in motherless home, in or out of town. Box W-69, Post-Dispatch. (89)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; widow, with small child, wishes housework or housekeeper. Mrs. Wilson, 4260 Connecticut. (5)

HOUSEMAID—Sit. by experienced; for plain cooking; references. Lindell 3435R.

LADY—Sit.; elderly; to sew and help with children. Box N-256, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; 4 days each week. M. Higgins, 620 N. Beaumont.

LAUNDRESS—White woman wants washing and ironing to take home. 5722 Maffitt.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; good, wants Friday-Saturday. Call Lindell 3153W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; colored; Wednesday and Thursday. Phone Bomont 1649W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; Friday and Saturday. Bomont 1657W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; colored, for Friday, half day cleaning, Saturday. Call Bomont 2702.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; first-class; good references; Friday and Saturday. Call after 5:30 p. m. Lindell 4111J.

LAUNDRESS—First-class, colored, desires two days a week; ladies' and children's clothes a specialty. Write 1109 N. Channing av. (4)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored; would like Monday, Wednesday and Friday; rough dry washing, small family. Call Bomont 1530.

MAID—Sit.; colored; or general housework; stay on place, 2829 Bernard.

PHOTOGRAPHER—Lady wants position; prefer printing department. Box W-36, Post-Dispatch.

SECRETARY - STENOGRAPHER — Sit.; young woman, now employed; 3 years' experience; high school graduate, 3 years college; slight knowledge French, Spanish; bank preferred; some experience that line; wish advancement. Box W-251, P.-D. (89)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit.; wages second consideration if chance for advancement is good; 30 years old; high school and business college training; can furnish excellent references as to character and disposition. 2025 Jefferson.

WOMAN—Sit.; colored; cleaning, by day. Bomont 2448R.

WOMAN—Sit.; white; one or two days a week; housework; experienced; references. Box N-255, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit.; colored; first-class, wants Friday, Saturday, for light cleaning. Phone Bomont 2143W.

HELP WANTED

MEN, BOYS

ARMATURE WINDER—And repair man; must be first-class mechanic; all-year work guaranteed for good man; union man preferred. Rigsbee Electric Co., Ervay and Pacific, Dallas, Tex. (c2)

AUTO BODY TRIMMERS—Two, experienced. Moon Motor Car Co., 4400 N. Main. (c6)

AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC—First-class, all-around; must appear in person with good references. Red Line Motor Service, Collinsville, Ill. (c5)

AUTO PAINTER—First-class, to take charge of shop; one who can do first-class finishing, striping; also to make estimates on work; right man will have entire charge; nothing but first-class work done; must furnish first-class references. Apply Palmer Paint and Upholstering Works, 252 Monroe av., Memphis, Tenn. (c74)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

AUTO REPAIRER—Only first-class man need apply. 1406 S. 18th.

BAKER—First-class on high-grade goods. Apply Friday. 6180 Delmar. (c)

BAKER—To help out Friday night. Grand 4421W. (c)

BATTERY REPAIR MAN—Experienced. 3445 S. Grand. (c)

BOOKKEEPER-SECRETARY—Young man with general ledger experience, and good stenographer; desirable position for right man; reply today in own handwriting. Box W-250, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BOY—To work evenings in drug store. Grand and Hartford.

BOY—Colored, to work in drug store; 16 to 18 years old; references. 6100 Easton.

BOY—To work in grocery store. 5895 Delmar bl. (c)

BOY—Young, colored, to work in drug store. 924 Academy.

BOY—For general office work and to run errands; must be 16 years of age or over, have at least grammer school education; address in own hand writing, stating age. Box N-231, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CABINETMAKER—Good benchman; nonunion; give age and salary expected. Box W-40, Post-Dispatch. (6)

CABINETMAKER—Maintenance work 'n downtown building; steady employment; $100 per month; in answering, give references as to character and ability. Box N-136, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

CANDY MAKER—Experienced on hard candy. Box N-77, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CANDY MAKER—Experienced on hard goods and stick candy. C. F. Blanke Tea and Coffee Co., 7th and Park. (c4)

CHAUFFEUR—Moving and express. 1829 Park.

CHAUFFEUR—Good steady man; experienced in grocery business preferred; bring reference. 1302 Hodiamont. (c)

CHEF—Must be experienced. Apply Standard Catering Co., 3570 Olive. (c)

CLERK—Competent, for bank; also Burroughs machine bookkeeper; good opportunity; state age, experience, etc. Box W-240, Post-Dispatch. (4)

COATMAKERS—Experienced, and bushelman. Call at Arcade Tailoring Co., 1326 Franklin av. (c5)

COOK—Good second. 3860 Olive. (c)

COUPLE—Man and wife, cook and do general housework. 19 Windermere pl. (c5)

DRUG CLERK—For counter work in downtown store; good wages; short hours. Box N-4, Post-Dispatch. (c62)

DRUG CLERK—Qualified assistant; capable young man; references required. Bender Drug Co., 6196 Delmar. (5)

ELDERLY MAN—To fire furnace; room, board and wages. 2753 Cherokee. (c)

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ERRAND BOY—Hours 8:30 to 5. 204 Fullerton bldg.

FIREMAN—For down-draft boiler. Apply to engineer, American Packing Co., 3842 Garfield. (c)

FOREMAN—Shoe packing; man with shoe packing experience, who can handle men; excellent opportunity in local factory for high-grade man. White, stating experience, references and salary expected, Box N-374, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

FOREMAN—Splendid opportunity to increase your income by writing health and accident insurance among the men during spare time; chance to make mighty good money; write me at once. W. A. Killion, 304-5 Wainwright Bldg. (c)

FOREMAN—Shipping and stockroom; man experienced in keeping shipping, receiving and stockroom records, who can handle men; man 35 to 40 preferred; in local factory. Write, stating experience and salary expected, Box N-394, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

FRY COOK—Must be experienced. Apply Standard Catering Co., 3570 Olive. (c)

GARDENER—For care of garden and small greenhouse; married man with small family; can live on place. Apply at 6440 Forsythe rd., 2d house west of Skinker. (c)

GERMAN COUPLE—For boarding house; must understand business. Box P-395, Post-Dispatch. (5)

HOSTLER—Steady work; good pay. Call at 5248 Oakland. (c)

JAPANNER—Experienced, for dip work. 634 S. 7th st. (c)

KITCHEN MAN—Short order cook. McKinley Station, High and Lucas. (c)

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—See Mr. Coman, Britt Printing Co., 105 S. 9th. (c)

MAN—Young, to deliver groceries and meats. 3204 Shenandoah.

MAN—For lead casting. Apply 2017 Lucas av. (c)

MAN—Elderly, raise chickens, small farm; Clayton road; good home. Forest 3541M.

MEN—Four, to distribute circulars; call 7:30 a. m. 1418 O'Fallon. (c)

MEN—Manage branches of our phonograph record exchanges, St. Louis and adjacent towns; salary commensurate with your ability to produce results. Broadway Music Shop, Detroit. (6)

MEN—Panama Canal wants the following: Car Carpenters, $1.06 hour; must have had 4 years' experience within last 5 years building and repairing freight cars in railroad car shop; marble setters, $1.25 hour; sheet metal workers, experienced on marine work, $1.13 hour; must be American citizens (final papers), under 50 years of age, in good health; free steamship transportation from New York or New Orleans; wages beginning date of sailing. Write "Chief of Office, The Panama Canal, Washington, D. C." (c3)

MEATCUTTERS—Two, first-class; steady work; good wages. 3 N. Jefferson.

METAL PATTERN MAKERS—2 or 3, first-class. Box 905, Birmingham, Ala. (c8)

MILLWRIGHT—Temporary; for lining up shafting and machinery. 2801 Benton. (c)

NIGHTWATCHMAN—For plant at Lindenwood and Frisco Railroad and Fyler av.; $1.50 per night. Apply Progress Press Brick Co., 3205 S. King's highway, between 9 and 12 a. m. (c6)

OFFICE BOY—Bright; 16 years or over. Box N-98, Post-Dispatch. (c)

OFFICE BOY—About 17 years of age, who understands filing and mailing; salary to start, $50. Box N-53, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

PIANO TEACHER—At residence, 2839 St. Vincent. Call after 6:30 p. m.

POT WASHER—Experienced. Apply at once; white. Columbian Club, 3909 Lindell.

PRINTER-LOCKUP—Steady position. Call 223 N. 3d. (c5)

PUNCH PRESS HAND—Apply 3917A Olive st. (c)

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SURFACE GRINDER—And lens polisher. Apply Gate City Optical Co., 404 Equitable Bldg. (c)

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WINDOW TRIMMER—AND CARD WRITER AT ONCE. 701 WASHINGTON. (c)

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YOUNG MAN—20 to 23 years old, with ledger work experience or equivalent; good future; state age, experience and salary. Box N-52, Post-Dispatch. (c)

YOUNG MAN
To do card writing; must be steady and reliable; apply at once. PENNY & GENTLES, Broadway and Morgan (c5)

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AGENTS—Make 100 per cent profit selling National Fiber House Broom; retails for $1; sample broom, 50c; particulars free. National Fiber Broom Co., 211 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

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PARTNER Wtd.—With a few hundred dollars or small car; very good business; must be a salesman; references required. See me after 6 p. m. 2707 Sheridan. (4)

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SALESMEN—Experienced in men's furnishing. Apply 9 N. Broadway. (c)

SALESMEN—Three, to sell life insurance. Apply 2919A Michigan. (c5)

SALESMEN—Full time or side line; city or road. Mr. Kelly, 207-8 Pineate Bldg., 8th and Pine.

MEN—2, over 25, for city sales force; experience not essential as we train you; producers will earn $40 weekly. 304 Fullerton Bldg. (c6)

SALESMEN—To sell phonographs. W. A. Gill, Broadway and St. Charles. (c)

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SALESMAN—Automobile; experienced passenger car and truck salesman. Packard-Harris, 1922 Olive st. (5)

SALESMAN—Side line; storage batteries; good commission; no experience necessary. 312 N. Channing. (c)

SALESMEN—Young, over 21 years, travel, call grocery stores; experience unnecessary; salary or commission. Sizz, 4222 Easton. (8)

SALESMEN—5, high-class; for remunerative proposition. Call at room 524 International Life Bldg., between 10 and 2. (c89)

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SALESMAN—Good reliable man, city salesman; good opportunity for one acquainted in the bakery line; fair salary. Call 3118-20 Easton. (c92)

SHOE SALESMAN—Experienced; to sell retailer; strictly commission; must be resident of St. Louis. Apply room 832 American Hotel, between 7 and 8 o'clock tonight.

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SALESMAN—If you believe in your own ability a live sales organization wants you; a good income and permanent future for the right man; mornings. Stanza & Co., Suite 1606 Syndicate Trust bldg. (c92)

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SALESMAN—High-class specialty; one with sewing machine or range experience; or who has called on farmers preferred; expenses, commission and bonus paid to reliable man; territory now open in Missouri that is worth $275 to $600 a month to a good man. See Mr. C. R. Swift, 606 Wainwright Bldg., Saturday.

SALESMEN—Have you the nerve and ability to tackle a real man's job of selling? If you have, we have a proposition backed by a firm whose standing is unquestionable, whose proposition is absolutely sound and where the amount of your annual income depends entirely on your efforts; if you can qualify, call and show us and we will show you. Call at 1608 Boatmen's Bank Bldg., between 11 and 12 o'clock. Ask for Mr. Philbrook. (c7)

SALESMAN—As resident man in St. Louis; one who has office in St. Louis and can carry stock during the season; by one of the largest coat manufacturers in New York; excellent opportunity for one who has an established trade; state present connections in your first letter; also references; write how many lines you would need for your salesmen; commission basis; all communications will be kept confidential. J. H., 1214 Wilson Bldg., New York City. (c4)

SALESMEN—I have openings for three red-blooded salesmen who can sell our Avalon Farms Co.'s veterinary specifics to merchants in the smaller towns under our exclusive agency plan. Our line is backed by national advertising, the best goods in our line of merchandising and a selling plan which will enable the man who can make good to place himself in a permanent and highly profitable position; must be clean-cut, sober and reliable; suitable references required; men owning their own car preferred; if you can qualify, call on me for personal interview. George Ethan Allen, general field manager, Planters Hotel, St. Louis, Mo. (c8)

SALESMEN
To sell and install gas lights! liberal commission paid; no triflers need apply. WELSBACH CO., 620 N. 10th, between 9 and 10 a. m. only. (c100)

SALESMAN RESIDENT
To take as side line for the State of Missouri a line of gloves, silk underwear. ALEXANDER WEISS CO., 143 W. 27th, New York City. (c4)

TWO LIVE SALESMEN
With advertising experience, to sell motion picture advertising, on commission, in the city. This live medium requires hustling, sincere men; clean closers only. For interview address NATIONAL FILM PUBLICITY CORP., 4718-20 Delmar. (c6)

SALESMAN—Live automobile; make $300 on car. See manager, 6500 Easton. (c)

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SWEATER-KNIT GOODS.
A prominent New York Sweater and Knit Goods House is open for a live wire to handle our line exclusively in the States of Missouri and Iowa. To the right party, who must have a large following amongst the buyers of our line in the above States, we offer an exceptional opportunity. One with an office in St. Louis preferred, but not essential. Write B. M. D., Room 2502, 110 West 40th St., New York City. (c92)

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The largest manufacturer of warm air furnaces in the world needs the services of several real salesmen, 30 to 40 years of age. The work will be that of selling the patented Caloric Pipeless Furnace to enterprising dealers.
Backed by an unequaled national advertising campaign, the job offers unlimited opportunity for realizing a splendid income.
Apply to Mr. Moorehead, Statler Hotel, St. Louis, Mo., any time Saturday, Dec. 11, after 9 a. m.
THE MONITOR STOVE CO. (The Monitor Family), 102 Years in Business, Cincinnati, O.
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STOCK SALESMEN—High-class, to sell in Missouri for going concern; good men are making $300 to $800 per week. Address L. Sparkman, 113 Fulk Bldg., Little Rock, Ark. (c8)

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

ASSORTER—Rough dry; must be experienced. Aalce Laundry, 3700 Olive. (c4)

BINDERY STITCHER—Experienced on power machine. Apply 1119A Locust st. (c)

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

BODY IRONERS—Westminster Laundry, 4115 Olive st. (c8)

BODY IRONER—Experienced; also plain clothes ironer, white. Munger's Laundry, 2310 Washington. (c5)

CASHIER

For relief duty; hours, 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. Apply HERZ CANDY CO., 706 Washington av. (c)

CHAMBERMAID—White. Apply Westmoreland Hotel, Taylor and Maryland. (c5)

CHOCOLATE DIPPER—Day or evening. Forest Park Candy Co., King's highway and Chouteau. (c4)

COOK—Good second. 3860 Olive. (c)

COOK—Good; family of 3 adults; stay nights. 5245 Washington. (4)

COOK—For cooking and first-floor work; references. 4378 Lindell bl. (c)

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COOK—$50; housemaid, $45; nurse, $50; small family. 4244 Maryland. (c)

COOK—Good; also housemaid; family of 4; all grown; come prepared to go to work. 5261 Westminster pl. (6)

COOK—And to assist housework; no laundry; no objections to inexperienced girl, willing to learn. 5272 Washington. Forest 3687. (c)

COOK—White, experienced; excellent wages; references required. 6470 Forsythe. Cabany 4466. (c)

COOK—Experienced white girl to cook and take care of dining room; good wages. Apply 36 Kingsbury pl.; two blocks south of Delmar, 5500 block. (c89)

DISHWASHER—Experienced white. Apply at once, Columbian Club, 3909 Lindell. (c)

DISHWASHER—St. Luke's Hospital. 5535 Delmar bl. (c5)

FORELADY—Experienced; must know draping and know how to run shop; must be allround, experienced; good salary for the right party. Call Middle West Garment Co., 1323 Washington. (c)

GIRL—For bakery and general housework. Sidney 2524W. (c)

GIRL—Good, for housework. Call today, 1505 Pine. (c)

GIRL—Or woman to wash dishes. 2621 Chouteau. (c)

GIRL—Or woman; work in bakery and lunch room. 756 S. 4th st. (c)

GIRL—General housework; no children; good wages. 3634 Hartford st. (c)

GIRL—To mount samples. Schwarz Sample Co., 1515 Pine st., 2d floor. (c)

GIRL—Neat, quick, to do addressing and folding. 111 Market. (c)

WASHINGTON, 4311—Young girl to assist with general housework; no washing. (c)

GIRLS—To make $3 to $5 daily. Jasper Caley, 33 S. 15th st. (c)

GIRL—Colored, to dust furniture. Apply 724 Franklin. (c)

GIRL—To work in coffee house and serve at table. 213 S. Broadway. (c)

GIRLS—For bench work at 2600 University. Pappas Pie Co. (c4)

GIRL—For general housework. 4434 Blair av. (7)

GIRL—Colored, for cooking and housework; small boarding house; $10. 4115 Lindell. (c)

GIRL—Experienced, for filing; must be intelligent and industrious. Apply 4517 Olive st. (c5)

GIRL—Reliable, for general housework in suburbs; no laundry; good home; good wages. Webster 1089. (c)

GIRL—White; general housework; references required. 5467 Delmar, 1st floor apt. (c5)

GIRL—White, for housework, in apt.; no washing. Cabany 3733R. 5833 Nina pl., 1st floor west. (c)

GIRL—Experienced in long-hand addressing and mailing department. Leacock's, 921 Locust. (c)

GIRLS—To assist in decorating and painting department. Apply Warfield Shops, 399 N. Euclid. (c)

GIRL—Experienced, to work in College Inn Candy Shop between 6 and 11:30 p. m. 1502 S. Grand av. (c)

GIRL—Experienced; white; for general housework; small house; 2 adults and child; good wages. 5152 Washington. Forest 4709. (c)

GROCERY CLERK—Conrad's Grocery Co., 409 N. 8th st. (c)

HAIRDRESSER—Experienced allround girl; best of wages. 3820 Olive st. (c4)

GIRL—For cooking and first-floor work in family of 4 adults; excellent wages. 4548 West Pine. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL—Two in family; call today. 4168 Juniata; Victor 1007R. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL—White or colored. 1326 Blackstone. Delmar 4617L. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Woman; small family; no washing. 4260 Flora bl. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—To assist in housework; no laundry. Cabany 6775. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework and to assist in bakery. 2833 Cass av. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—No laundry; experience not necessary; good wages. 5222A Delmar. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, experienced; 3 in family. Forest 2311W. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, general housework; family 4 adults; references necessary. 4370 Washington av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; plain cooking; $50 references required. 4604 McPherson. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White; small family; Parkview residence; good wages. 6351 Pershing. Cabany 5920. (4)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small apartment; 2 adults. 4205 Botanical av., 2d floor west. Victor 3550R. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White; about 18; and to assist with baby. 5604 Waterman, first floor east. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; $40 month. 4247 Flora bl. Grand 2425W. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL—Or woman, white, for general housework; small family. 6274 Cates av. Cabany 1423J. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Must know how to cook white references; $50; two in family. 5572 Waterman; 3d floor. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Girl for general housework; no laundry; references required. 4554 Pershing. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—General housework; two adults; good wages; don't answer unless you can bring reference. Phone Cabany 2656. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—White, for general housework; no laundry or outside work; small family; good wages. 5140 Cabanne av. Forest 4917J. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, settled, willing Protestant; housework and mending; near Lindell and King's highway; small, refined family; best wages; reference. Box N-125, Post-Dispatch. (c4)

HOUSEKEEPER—Competent; 35 or 40 years of age; good home; Catholic preferred. Cabany 4810J. (c)

HOUSEMAID—Colored; stay on place. 5550 Bartmer. (c)

HOUSEWOMAN—Middle-aged, to assist with light housework and care of children; more for home than wages. Grand 5150. (c4)

LADY—Young; to answer telephones in downtown office; 18 or over; experienced; permanent; state age, salary, experience, etc. Box K-10, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LADY—To manage dining room and kitchen; must be experienced in high-class, dainty cooking; also do the buying; send reference and salary expected. Box K-9, P.-D. (c5)

LADY—We have opening for lady with experience in purchasing department or costing merchandise sales; must be quick and accurate with figures; give age, experience and salary expected. Box K-26, P.-D. (c5)

LAUNDRESS—White woman; $2.65 day; for laundry and cleaning. Benton 1711R. (c)

LAUNDRESS—White; for Monday; also cleaning Saturday. 3727 Ohio. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Woman to do washing once a week. Victor 1546R. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Monday, Tuesday; first-class; must have references; 3 in family. Box W-54, Post-Dispatch. (c)

LAUNDRY HELP

Body ironer; colored; must be experienced. ANCHOR LAUNDRY, 2019 Lucas av. (c)

LUNCH COUNTER GIRL—Experienced; references. Meisheimer, 507 N. 9th. (c)

MAIDS—White. Apply housekeeper, Warwick Hotel. (c6)

MANICURIST—Century Barber Shop. 319 N. 9th st. (c)

MARKER AND ASSORTER—Experienced. Free Laundry, 5576 Easton. (c4)

MARKER AND ASSORTER—Experienced. Old St. Louis Laundry, 1030 Victor. (c5)

NIGHT WAITRESSES—Experienced, and dinner waitresses. Apply 1131 Olive. (c)

NURSE—Competent woman; mending and assist housework; children 8 and 11; $50. Forest 8770. 4526 West Pine bl. (c4)

NURSEGIRL—White. Mrs. Able. 5638 Kingsbury. Cabany 30. (c5)

OFFICE ASSISTANT—Capable of helping physician and can do stenographic work; call, 320 Metropolitan Bldg. (c)

OPERATORS—Experienced on petticoats. Apply Sachs Mfg. Co., 923 Washington, fifth floor. (c4)

SALESGIRL—Experienced, for pastry counter; references. Meisheimer, 507 N. 9th. (c)

SEAMSTRESS—First-class; to assist dressmaker. 5958 Cates. (c)

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STENOGRAPHER—Extra work until Christmas; Protestant; salary $15 a week. The Presbyterian Book Store, 411 N. 10th. (c)

STENOGRAPHER — With experience and references; none but first-class girls need apply. The White Co., 3422 Lindell bl. (c)

STOCK GIRLS—Experienced; colored. 708 N. 7th st.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR—Typist and file clerk; state experience, salary and reference. Box K-38, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WAITRESS—Come ready for work. 821 Market st.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

WAITRESSES—No experience necessary. Barnes Hospital, 600 S. King's highway.

WAITRESSES—Merchants' Restaurant, 1206 Olive. (c)

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SCRUGGS-VANDERVOORT-BARNEY

WOMAN—Clean tires, help paint; 25c hour. Used Car Shop, 216 N. 21st.

WOMAN—To scrub and clean. Apply housekeeper, Warwick Hotel. (c6)

WOMAN—German, take care 3 rooms, for single man. 3522 N. Broadway.

WOMAN—Care for baby while mother works. Mrs. Han, 1628 Olive.

WOMAN—Colored, to cook, wash and iron. 3567 Olive. (c)

WOMAN—Middle-aged, for housework. 2619A Eads av.

WOMAN—To take care of 3-room flat, one small child; no Saturday afternoon or Sunday work; go home nights. 908A Laml. (5)

WOMAN—Or girl, for half days, to paste cigar bands. B. Goldstone, 320 N. 3d, 4th floor. (c)

WOMAN—For general housework; Protestant preferred. 3201 University st. Tyler 1759. (c4)

WOMAN—Refined, young, white, to care for invalid lady and do cooking in family of two; references required. 4425 West Pine. (c91)

WOMAN—In our store and mail order department; age about 25; extra work until Christmas; Protestant; salary $12 a week. The Presbyterian Book Store, 411 N. 10th.

YOUNG GIRL—To assist with home baking. Bake Shop, 944 Goodfellow. (c)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS—WOMEN

CANVASSERS—Crew managers, demonstrators; at once; new article; no competition. 503 Benoist Bldg.

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SALESLADIES—To sell phonographs. W. A. Gill, Broadway and St. Charles. (c)

SALESLADIES—5, high-class, for remunerative proposition. Call at room 524 International Life Bldg., between 10 and 2. (c89)

SALESLADY—For sundry department, downtown drug store; good wages; permanent position to capable party. Box N-30, P.-D. (c62)

SALESLADIES

Neat, over 17, for candy dept.; experience preferred; good salary. HERZ CANDY CO., 512 Locust. (c)

SALESWOMEN—Experienced, who can furnished best character reference and willing to work hard, can get permanent position with national sales organization where incomes are limited only by the amount of your own efforts; only women of executive ability need call at room 818 Merchants-Laclede Bldg., between 9:30 to 4:30 p. m. (c6)

BUSINESS CHANCES

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CABINETMAKERS—A fine chance for a few cabinetmakers and woodworkers to connect with a well established local mfg. company, at good pay, by investing $1000 or more, with services, in this going company. Call at ST. LOUIS BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 7th floor, Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c58)

FOR SALE—$2000 stock for cash at par in rapidly developing coal mining property already paying dividends. Box W-278, Post-Dispatch. (6)

I HAVE a rapidly growing business, needing capital and help; if you have $5000 to $10,000 to invest in a money maker, communicate with Box W-20, Post-Dispatch. (4)

YOU are interested in making money; here's an opportunity; a piece of property must be sold by Dec. 15; party must raise $500 cash. Box K-417, Post-Dispatch. (c92)

WOODWORKERS—A fine chance for a few mechanics such as cabinetmakers and others experienced in woodworking line to connect with a well established local mfg. company who are doing a large business; will accept man who will invest $1000 up, with services. ST. LOUIS BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 7th floor, Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c58)

BUSINESS WANTED

ROOMING HOUSE Wtd.—Furnished; must be first-class. 2644A Park.

ANY business sold quickly. Phone Olive 1226 for our representative. Write or call at office. Brown & Co., 925 Chestnut. (4)

BUSINESS FOR SALE

BUILDING—For general stores, country town; option of buying building; new; a chance to make $5000 per year on a $4000 investment; wall fixtures in building. Address drug store, 3735 Wyoming, or W. J. Backs, Carpenter, Ill.

BUSINESS—Well established and paying good; in fine locations; any kind or size you want; the owners want to sell privately so as not to hurt their business; it will pay you to see us before buying. ST. LOUIS BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 7th floor Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c62)

CIGAR STORE—Wholesale and retail; established business; fine transfer corner; sales $1500 per week; price $1800. Box W-294, Post-Dispatch. (4)

DEPARTMENT STORE—A live, well established, paying business in a rich Missouri town; 2 floors; 40x160, with 5 complete departments of up-to-date stock; no competition; rent only $150; under long lease; annual sales over $100,000; aged owners retiring; a good bargain for about $60,000; for details, see ST. LOUIS BUSINESS EXCHANGE. 7th floor Victoria Bldg., 8th and Locust. (c62)

DRUG STORE—Denver suburban; worth $5000; will invoice or take $4500; $3000 cash, balance on time, 6 per cent. Fred C. Jones, 204 Temple Court bldg., Denver, Colo.

GROCERY—And creamery; must sell this week. 1064 N. Hamilton. (76)

GROCERY—Meat and fruit store; will invoice. Box W-109, Post-Dispatch. (8)

GROCERY—And meats; best location; clears $400 monthly; price $4500; no jobbers. Box N-224, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—And meat market; bargain; good stand. Call any time. 1213 S. Jefferson.

GROCERY—Meat market and saloon; $2200; will invoice; cash trade; owner leaving city. 4360 Papin. Phone Lindell 1493. (5)

LUNCHROOM—Will sacrifice; owner nonresident; small. 3537 Easton. (6)

RESTAURANT—Good business; $75 day business. Lindell 920.

RESTAURANT—Old stand; good transfer corner; two living rooms; $20 rent; account other business; $325. 2605 Chouteau av. (5)

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; income $230 per month; price $950. Lindell 1786. (c5)

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms; cheap. Call at 4112 Delmar.

ROOMING HOUSE—Restaurant, cigar store; real bargain. Lindell 3539 or 5348 Dewey.

ROOMING HOUSE—7-room furnished flat; 5 new rooms; half block direct car line; rent reasonable. Forest 679L.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms, completely furnished; must sell at once. 1100 Mississippi.

ROOMING HOUSE—4448A Delmar; nicely furnished 6 rooms; income $100 per month, besides living rooms; reasonable rent.

SALOON—Beverage; old established; downtown; money maker; owner retiring; bargain, $1000. C. J. HILL, Agt., 810 Chestnut.

SHOE REPAIR SHOP—Lupo Bros., 1820 N. 20th. (6)

SHOE REPAIRING SHOP—With small stock; leaving town. 1513 Franklin.

STORE—Small merchandise store; 2 rooms in rear of store; rent $10. 6501 Maple.

WHOLESALE BUSINESS—High-class, established; have best accounts in city; showing good profit on small investment; money turnover every 30 days; can prove facts; will bear strictest investigation; will prove best satisfactory reason for disposing quickly; cash required about $5000. Box W-376, Post-Dispatch.

ARE you looking for an attractive, exclusive proposition? Do you want to make big money; any town, county or state. 211 N. 18th st. (7)

FOR SALE—WTD

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

ARMY WOOL SOX, 19c; work pants or coats, 69c; wool coats, $1.95; raincoats, $3.75; hats, shoes, overcoats, blankets, underwear, etc., ¼ manufacturing cost; 10 per cent discount with this ad. 708 N. 7th st., block from Washington av. (4)

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

BEST quality candies, 5 lbs. of 3 varieties, with bonbons, $1.50. Ida Warrington, 209 E. Winter st., Greenville, Ill.

BILLIARD TABLE—For sale, or trade for shotgun, auto, furniture. Cord, 5751 Easton av.

BILLIARD TABLE—And fixtures; 8½ ft. by 4½ ft.; reasonable; in A1 condition. C. A. Miller, 6100 Waterman av. Phone Cabany 6687J. (4)

BUTTER CUTTING MACHINE—American for printing butter; perfect running order. Kroger Grocery & Baking Co., Tiffany and Vista. (c)

CASH REGISTER—National; electric; commercial; 1 cent to $999; cheap; no dealer. 4230A Olive.

CASH REGISTER—Refinished, National, for every purpose; guaranteed same as manufacturers'; save 25 to 40 per cent; repairing done; terms or cash; both phones. Howe Scale Co., 512-14 St. Charles st. (c8)

CHILD'S AUTO—Large size. 5245 Paulian.

COAL—$6.50 a ton; also hard coal; reasonable. Colfax 2131J. (c6)

COAL—From the mines, $6.50 to $7.50 per ton. Grand 3856J. (1)

COAL—High-grade, from the mines, $7 per ton. Central 725, Tyler 216.

COAL—High-grade, $7.50 ton; immediate delivery; everywhere. 2814 Biddle. Bomont 2359J. (5)

COAL—High-grade; $7.50 ton; immediate delivery, anywhere. Bomont 2359J. 2314 Biddle st.

COAL from the mines, mine run, $5.75 ton; high-grade, $6.50 ton. Central 5744. Tyler 1509. (1)

COAL, $7.25 PER TON

High-grade lump; better than most $8 coal. Forest 1881W. (c4)

CORDWOOD—Cut any length; will deliver. Call Colfax 940. (c62)

CUT GLASS—Large lot; imported china dinner sets, etc.; private home. 4320 Washington. (6)

DESKS—Three, roller-top; Ford open ton truck body; Monday. 4203 Easton.

DOME—Very classy electric fixture dome and ceiling lights; cost $90. 5850 De Giverville.

FOR SALE—Entire contents of two chemistry laboratories; cheap; formerly located at Y. M. C. A. 5803A Page. Delmar 2907R. (c4)

GURLEY BUILDERS' TRANSIT—8-inch telescope; prime condition; price attractive. Olive 842.

KINDLING—Stove length; $3 and $5 per load. 4661 Maffitt. Newman. (5)

NEW city map, just out, showing the route of every line, every street; indexed and numbered; sent postpaid, 25c. Foster's, 410 Washington av. (c62)

RADIATORS—Six, about 400 feet, for hot water or steam. Walter Heil, 2014 Pestalozzi. Victor 86L.

ROAD and railroad maps; all parts of the U. S., at Foster's, 410 Washington. (c62)

SCALES—Trucks, refrigerators; new and rebuilt; we also do repairing. Standard Scale and Fixt. Co., 219 Locust st. (c62)

SCALES—Computing, new or refinished; also electric coffee mills; terms. Howe Scale Co., 512-14 St. Charles st. Both phones. (c8)

SHOTGUNS—Remington hammerless and Royal hammer gun; cheap. 5723 Easton.

TENTS—And tarpaulins, and all kinds of army goods. 1545 N. Broadway. (c8)

New Crop Texas Pecans

The Pecan crop in Texas this year is practically a failure, but we succeeded in buying a car of good average size Pecans (not Paper Shell) that we can offer at

35c Per Pound POSTAGE EXTRA.

Freight will be paid on orders for 100 lbs. or more.

PITTMAN & HARRISON COMPANY
Sherman, Tex. (62)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

CORD WOOD Wtd.—In car lots. Box K-27, Post-Dispatch. (c)

DOLL BUGGY Wtd.—Reed; also doll. Colfax 1588M. (c89)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

ARMCHAIR—Rockers, chairs, dressers, davenettes, dining-room sets, rugs, gas ranges, iceboxes, most everything for housekeeping, big lot to pick from; everything kept in sanitary condition; free packing and shipping for out-of-town buyers. We sell wholesale in small lots or carload. A call will convince you how busy we are. Stands to reason; our prices are low and our treatment is fair; you once get the habit of coming to our place you will always do so and recommend others; secondhand goods in name only at Levy Bros., 311-13-15 S. 14th st., south from Clark av.; Belt line passes our door. (c4)

BEDS—2 beautiful brass beds; big bargain. 1934 Morgan. (c62)

BED—Vernis-Martin; dining table, 4 chairs; reasonable. 412 N. Sarah.

BEDROOM SET—Bird's-eye maple; and single brass bed with spring; good condition; a bargain. Cabany 6249J. (c)

BEDROOM SUITE—3-piece American walnut, William and Mary, sample; $170. 1202 S. Broadway. (c26*)

BEDROOM SUITES—Almost new; beautiful American walnut, also brown mahogany; handsome dining suite, living room furnitures, elegant player-piano, beautiful lamps, phonograph, rugs; sell cheap; call immediately. Owner, 5127 Cabanne. (55)

BEDROOM OUTFIT—Complete; oak dresser with large bevel edge mirror, wood bed, including spring and mattress and washstand to match; also rocker and 9x12 matting rug, all for $87.50; cash or time. H. Walker Furn. Co., 1117-19 Locust. (c9)

BEDROOM SUITE—Circassian walnut, beautiful 9-piece Jacobean dining room, rugs, draperies, portieres, Singer sewing machine, gas range, with white doors, library table, rockers, kitchen table, chairs, icebox, brass bed, circassian walnut dresser; all like new; leaving city. Delmar 2550L. 1641A Arlington.

BEDSTEAD—White enamel; and couch. 2805 Shenandoah. (c5)

CARPETS—Majestic Hotel, 11th and Pine. (c5)

CHIFFOROBE—Wilson heater, gas stove. 1312A Grattan. (4)

COAL RANGE—Universal model, with hot-water back, in first-class condition; will sell cheap. Call Forest 2724. (c5)

COAL RANGES—Favorite 6-hole square coal range, high warming closet, 16-inch bake oven, only $40; Schill 6-hole coal range, high warming closet, large reservoir, only $45; $5 down and $5 a month. H. Walker Furn. Co., 1117-1119 Locust. (c9)

COMBINATION RANGE—Coal, gas; blue steel; quick sale. 6031A Horton pl. Delmar 3999R.

COMBINATION RANGES—Blue, gray or black; brand-new; 25 per cent off regular price; open evenings except Wednesday until 9. P. J. Farrington & Sons Furniture Co., 4519 Easton. (c2)

COUCH—Sanitary; fumed oak bookcase, early English library table and chairs. Cabany 4425W. (c)

DAVENETTE—New; $39.50; bargain. 3138 Cherokee st.

DAVENETTE—Davenport; chifforobe; dresser, bookcase; music cabinet; bed. Cord, 5751 Easton.

DAVENETTE—Dresser, dining table, 54-inch; kitchen cabinet; cheap. 1043 N. Vandeventer. (c)

DINING-ROOM SUITE—Queen Anne, American walnut; brand-new; 6 pieces, $198. 1202 S. Broadway. (c62)

ELECTRIC WASHERS—$40 saving; pay $3 a week; hurry. 1025 N. Grand. (c4)

ELECTRIC WASHER—New; big saving; Eden; opportunity; terms. Box W-14, Post-Dispatch. (5)

FOLDING BED—Sanitary, with felt mattress; $8; mahogany davenport and rocker, $20. 1821½ N. Sarah.

FURNITURE—Contents of 3-room flat. 1625 Hodiamont.

FURNITURE—Three rooms of furniture and Victrola. 1541A S. 3d st.

FURNITURE—Contents of 4-room apartment; bargain. S. F. Gamage, 1910 Tower Grove. (2)

FURNITURE—$4 down, $1 week, buys $40 furniture. Steiner Furniture Co., 1202 S. Broadway. (c5)

FURNITURE—Four rooms, complete; will sell all or separate; also brass bed, complete. 3693 Olive. (c4)

FURNITURE—2 rooms furnished, $15 down, $100 balance, easy terms. 1306 S. Broadway. (c5)

FURNITURE—Fumed oak davenette set, dining set, chifforobe, dresser, coal-gas range, rugs, kitchen cabinet; bargains. 5328 Easton. (4)

FURNITURE—Complete furnishings of 4 rooms and sun parlor apartment; used only short time; leaving city; a bargain for cash. For appointment call Cabany 6990 between 8:30 and 12 a. m. (c5)

FURNITURE—New and slightly used dressers, chiffoniers, wardrobes, dinner suites, davenettes, rugs, carpets, brass and iron beds, springs and mattresses; very large assortment at half the price; credit to reliable people. We will buy, move or store your goods. Prosser's, 3218-20 Olive st. Bomont 807. Central 5532. (c62)

GAS RANGE—Oven; like new; used very little. 5207A Page.

GAS RANGES—Water heaters, kitchen tanks, washing, heating stoves. 5251 Page bl. (5)

HEATER—Wilson; cheap. 1713 Russell av.

HEATERS—Cornelia parlor heater, only $24; Bridge & Beach, all sizes, slightly used, at reduced prices; also see our line of used Wilson heaters, hard coal heaters, from $15 to $45; terms reasonable. H. Walker Furn. Co., 1117-19 Locust. (c9)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

HEATING STOVES—Our complete sample line of new heaters, all the leading makes, 20 per cent off; pipe and zinc free with each heater; open evenings except Wednesday until 9 p. m. P. J. Farrington & Sons Furniture Co., 4519 Easton. (c2)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Children's toys; wagon on wheels, bird cages. 5751 Easton. Cabany 5970.

KITCHEN CABINET—Ice box, organ, combination fixtures, sulkey and baby's highchair. 4167 Wyoming. (c)

KITCHEN OUTFIT—Kitchen cabinet, table and 4 chairs, 9x12 felt floor covering, all for $49.50; terms. H. Walker Furn. Co., 1117-19 Locust. (c9)

LIBRARY SUITE—Beautiful, 4-piece; consisting of arm chair, arm rocker, settee and library table, cane panel back and tapestry upholstering; extra fine; $97.50, spot cash. Hast Auction Co. 2009-11 Morgan st. (c44)

LIVING-ROOM SET—With long couch table; period bedroom suite; cheap. 4330 Enright. (c)

LIVING-ROOM SET—Elegant, 3 pieces, mahogany; beautiful velour upholstering. 5850 De Giverville.

LIVING ROOM OUTFITS—Complete, consisting of a 3-piece mahogany parlor suite newly covered in Spanish chase mahogany table, 8x10 tan Deltox rug and odd mahog any chair upholstered, and has soft green velvet seat, only $63.50; terms reasonable. H. Walker Furn. Co., 1117-19 Locust. (c9)

MATTRESSES—45 pounds, any size, $6.50; davenette pads, $4.50; slightly used furniture; cash or credit. 1043 N. Vandeventer. (c)

OIL HEATERS and cook stoves repaired. Wicks for all leading makes for sale. 915 N. Broadway. (c8)

PERCOLATORS—We repair aluminum percolators; put on handles that do not burn off. 915 N. Broadway. (c8)

RANGE—Coal; $25; also Radiant Home heater. Forest 6992J. (c)

RANGE—Combination, $65; cost $190 in 1919; also mahogany dresser. 1011 S. Broadway. Central 875L. (c6)

RUGS—All kinds, cheap. Chicago Carpet Cleaning Co., 3829 Finney. (c62)

STOVES—3 No. 2 cannon ball. Tyler 34 or Central 2926. 1625 N. Broadway. (c4)

STOVES—Renewed Quick Meal and other standard makes; A1 condition; delivered and connected; $18 up; others as low as $8. Prosser's, 3220 Olive st. (c62)

STOVES—Of all kinds; heating and cooking; also a complete line of household goods, consisting of dining and parlor suites, library tables, wardrobes, graphophone, rugs, carpets, linoleums, etc. See us before buying elsewhere; cash or payments can be arranged if desired. S. Lasky, 1406 Franklin av. Central 4703.

WASHING MACHINE—Electric; $75; bargain; will guarantee. 5978 Easton.

GET our prices on your household goods before selling. C. Stevens, 2331 Chouteau. Grand 897. (4)

BARGAINS in used furniture. We have a nice stock of clean used furniture and stoves of all kinds to suit your pocket; our prices are right and our floor is the finest of the kind in the city; everything on first floor, where you can see what you are getting. Besides, we are on the square; you get what you pay for and a dollar's worth for your dollar; that's our policy; don't forget; give us a call and look over our stock. Keiner's Warehouse, 1211-13-15-17-19-21 N. Vandeventer, between Page and Cook. (c58)

Our Location Saves You Money

We carry a full line of new, up-to-date furniture from kitchen to garret. Also a lot of goods taken from storage.

Some of our bargains:
Golden oak buffet, 60 inches long, new, $55.
Mahogany and oak pianos, $97 and up.
Phonographs of all kinds.
$25 new felt mattresses for $19.50.
1000 fiber and wicker rockers, chairs and tables at 50 per cent discount.
Odd oak rockers at $3.25 up to $7.85.
Used heating stoves and ranges, 40 per cent off of regular price.
987 roll-top and flat-top desks at 27½ per cent discount.

Call and get our prices. We handle everything in the line of furniture. We also rent folding chairs and office furniture.
30, 60, 90 days same as cash.
EDW. A. LANGAN FURN. CO., 2004 Morgan st.
Bomont 399. Central 5053. (c14)

New and Slightly Used Furniture for Sale or Exchange. Cash or Time.

Located in the low rent district enables us to give you values which under the high rent system would become impossible. We exchange furniture or buy for cash. Ring Olive 4579 or Central 5227R. We give you enough furniture to fit up 3 rooms for $98.50, $10 down, at $1.50 a week. Gas ranges as low as $7.50; kitchen cabinets, $26.50; dining room outfit, 6-foot table, 6 chairs, 1 sideboard, $65; 9x12 wool fiber rugs, $15; Axminster rugs, 9x12 size, $35; coal ranges, $35, and stoves, $25; iron beds as low as $5.50; springs, $6.50; mattresses, $5.50; dressers, $18.75; chiffoniers, $22.50; special discount on floor lamps and parlor suites. We also have a large lot of slightly used odds and ends in furniture too numerous to mention. Our prices will meet with favor by the most exacting. WALKER-ARMSTRONG HOUSE FURNITURE CO., 1306 Olive, opp. Public Library. (c14)

FURNISHED HOUSES AND FLATS.

FLAT—4 rooms, bath, $15, to party buying furniture; cash or terms. Central 5659, Tyler 61. (c)

FURNITURE—Contents 3-room flat; immediate possession to purchaser; bargain. Forest 3194W. (4)

FURNISHED FLAT—7 rooms; 5 new rooms; half block direct car line; rent reasonable. Forest 3679J. (c)

FURNITURE—Contents 5-room flat; immediate possession to purchaser; bargain. Forest 3194M. (4)

FURNISHED FLAT—3 rooms, including player-piano, 100 bushels of coal; rent very cheap; $600; leaving city. 2920 Chouteau av. Victor 2164R. (c5)

HOUSE—13 rooms; to party buying furniture. Lindell 3859R. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

ANDIRONS—Carpets, furniture of all descriptions, contents flats, dwellings; best cash prices; need goods badly; large or small lots. Schober, Del. 2985, For. 3953. (8)

ANDIRONS—Carpets, furniture, contents of dwellings, or small lots; get our bid before selling. Forest 5025 or Delmar 3864. Dennis Bros. (c8)

BEDS Wtd.—Furniture, carpets, stoves, contents flats, dwellings; best prices paid. Bensinger, 1139 Walton. Forest 6391, Delmar 886. (c14)

CARPETS Wtd.—Furniture or complete furnishings of dwellings. Call Forest 5025, Delmar 3864. Dennis Bros. (c8)

CARPETS Wtd.—Furniture, all kinds, badly. Schober, Delmar 2985, Forest 3953. (8)

CARPETS Wtd.—Furniture of all descriptions; contents flats, dwellings. Orcutt Storage, 4729 Easton. Delmar 694, Cabany 6030. (8)

FEATHERS—20,000 lbs.; pay 30c to 60c for old and 70c to $1 for new. Montana Feather Co. Auto calls. Del. 865, For. 767. 4426 Page bl. (c8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Any kind. Forest 1964. (c5)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Beds, furniture, carpets, rugs; old style or modern. Bomont 1846. (c8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Large or small lots; we'll pay more. F. H. Portman, 2801 Cass. Central 5659, Tyler 61. (c8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Carpets and stoves, in large or small lots. Frank C. Baker, 2918 Franklin. Bomont 1544, Central 6112. (c8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Badly; all kinds; spot cash; contents flats, dwellings. Orcutt Storage, 4729 Easton. Cab 6030, Del. 694. (8)

FURNITURE WANTED BADLY

All descriptions, large and small lots, contents flats, dwellings; highest cash prices. SCHOBER, 4455 Page. Del. 2985, For. 3953. (8)

Furniture Wanted

Call FOREST 5025 or Delmar 3864.

Furniture of all descriptions wanted; complete furnishings of dwellings or small lots. Get our bids before selling. DENNIS BROS., 1900 Euclid av. (c14)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Pay high prices. Keiner, 1211 N. Vandeventer. Delmar 974, Lindell 424. (c14)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Large or small lots; we buy everything and pay the highest prices; must have the goods. Hast Auction Co., 2009 Morgan st. Bomont 1620, Central 6427. (c8)

BEST cash prices for all kinds of furniture, small and large lots. Levy Bros., 313 S. 14th st. Phone Bell Olive 3028; Kinloch, Central 3593. (c5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—All kinds, highest cash prices paid for contents of apartments and residences; pianos, Victrolas, Oriental and domestic rugs; bric-a-brac, paintings, etc. Leonori Auction Co., 3507 Lucas. Call Lindell 2160. (c8)

BEST CASH price paid for secondhand furniture. Chas. Ginsberg, 2021 Shenandoah av.; Victor 350. (c23x)

EGGLESTON pays $5 more for your furniture than anyone; goods taken on moving. 4060 Easton. Lindell 73, Delmar 1929R. (c62)

GET our prices on your household goods before selling. C. Stevens, 2631 Chouteau. Grand 897. (4)

HIGHEST cash price, furniture of all kinds, contents of residences and flats. 3507 Lucas av. Lindell 2160. R. U. Leonori Auction Co. (c14)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

PROSSER buys furniture, carpets and stoves; pays best prices. 3220 Olive. Bomont 807. Central 5532. (c62)

WE pay the highest prices in cash or trade for used furniture and rugs; ring us. Olive 4579 or Central 5227R. Walker-Armstrong House Furn. Co., 1306 Olive. (c14)

ANIMALS

BEAGLE HOUND Wtd.—Female; must be well broke. Call at 3927 Folsom.

DACHSHUND—1½ years old; partly broke; very active. G. Bauer, 3845A Greer. (c8)

DOG Wtd.—At once, to mother puppies, as mother is dead. Inquire 4014 Chouteau. Grand 3747.

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE—Unclaimed Edison No. 3 phonograph, to highest bidder, to be auctioned off. Frisco Railroad freight house, 705 S. 7th st., St. Louis, at 10 a. m., Dec. 20. (c9)

Auction Sale Jewelry Stock

Trustee in Bankruptcy will sell in lots and as whole $20,000 jewelry stock at auction at Decatur, Ill., Saturday, Dec. 11, 1920, 10 a. m. Invoice and stock can be seen now. LAWRENCE C. WHEAT, Trustee, Estate Chas. Strauss, Bankrupt, Decatur, Ill. (c5)

CLOTHING

WANTED

APPAREL Wtd.—Pay highest prices. See Nessenfeld, 3314 Olive. Bomont 3021. (c8)

APPAREL Wtd.—Men's suits, overcoats; best prices; don't sell before seeing me. I. Sol, 1406 Cass. Tyler 2833J. Central 8151R. (c14)

APPAREL—25,000 suits, overcoats, pants, shoes, dresses for shipment foreign country; pay up $35; auto call 15 minutes. Delmar 865. Forest 767. Gelber, 4426 Page. (c8)

APPAREL—Buyer of ladies' and gentlemen's secondhand clothing, suits, overcoats, pants, dresses, shoes, hats; highest prices paid; auto will call. Phone Lindell 3135. Delmar 2003. H Appelman, 4218A Page bl. (c8)

APPAREL Wtd.—Men's pants, overcoats, shoes; ladies' dresses and suits for European shipment; will pay $25; auto will call. Olive 175. Central 5815. H. Banks. 1415 Biddle st. (c5)

CLOTHING Wtd.—Highest prices paid for ladies' and gentlemen's clothing and shoes. Call Tyler 1134 or Central 4060. Auto call 30 minutes. Harry Appelman, 2631 Dickson. (c8)

MRS. J. MILLER buys and sells ladies' and gents' slightly worn street and evening clothing. 1322 Olive st. Jewelry bought. Olive 1243W. (c8)

FOR SALE

CLOTHING—Suit, wool, $5; overcoat, $5; pants, $1.75; coat and vest, $2.50. 3713 Washington. (5)

CLOTHING—Cloak, wool, $1.50, cost $20; wool dress, $2.50; wool skirt, $1; silk dress, $2.50. 3713 Washington. (5)

CLOTHING—Lady's suit, $3 silk-lined; fur sets, muff, $3; neckpiece, $3. 3713 Washington. (5)

CLOTHING—Boy's sailor suit, $1.25; pants, 65c; overcoat, $2.50; cloak, $2.50. 3713 Washington. (5)

CLOTHING—Army khaki overcoat, $1.50; army wool suit, $1.50; mackinaw, $3.50. 3713 Washington. (5)

CLOTHING—Overcoat, wool, $5; mackinaw, $3.50; pants, $1.75; wool suit, $5. 3713 Washington. (5)

COAT—Blue duvetyne, silk lined; marten fur collar; $25. 4442 Olive st., third floor west.

LADIES' SUITS—Dresses, size 38-40; also men's clothes, 40; black fox fur scarf; party leaving city. 4020 Humphrey. (c)

MUFF—And neckpiece; genuine mink; $75. Apartment 2. 6012 McPherson.

OVERCOAT—Man's, size 38 or 40; 1 smoking jacket, 38 or 40. 4826 Delmar. Forest 896. (c)

SCARF—Northern mink; new; also squirrel collar; lady's high and low shoes, double A, sizes 6½ and 7; lady's cape, cadet blue, size 38; lady's sport skirt. 5885 Enright. Cabany 5710, apartment 9. (c)

SHOES—Ladies' samples, $2.50; fancy Christmas bedroom slippers, $1.50. Etavard, 1036 Market.

SUITS—A nice line ladies' suits, dresses, coats; all high-grade goods, slightly used; $4 up. 3201 Easton. (c8)

SURPRISINGLY cheap prices on men's suits, overcoats; come see. 2707 Lafayette. (c89)

GOLD AND SILVER

CASH paid gold, silver, platinum, broken jewelry, false teeth. Miller, 1322 Olive. (c8)

HIGHEST price paid for gold, old jewelry and broken false teeth. Miller, 703½ Market st. (8)

JEWELRY—WATCHES

DIAMOND RING—Most beautiful, large, perfect, 3-karat; $1050. Call 1834 Locust. (6)

DIAMONDS Wtd.—We will pay cash for your diamonds; see us for highest prices in the city. Norman, 7 N. Broadway. (c8)

DIAMONDS bought; up to $500 per carat; any size, any amount. Miller, 1322 Olive. (c8)

DIAMONDS WANTED

Your diamond valued free of charge; see us first and get our offer; diamonds are increasing in value daily; we are in a position to use any quality or any amount of loose or mounted diamonds; as high as $500 per carat is what we pay; we buy all sizes. S. SMITH & CO., 513 N. Grand, opposite Metropolitan Bldg., 5 doors north of Olive. (c8)

JEWELERS' EXCHANGE

609 Pine, will pay more for your diamonds; expert appraisers. (c8)

ALL pawn tickets bought; diamonds, anything; money loaned. Bomont 1832W. 2340A Olive. (8)

POULTRY AND BIRDS

HENS—80; pullets; leghorns; black minorcas; hamburgs; $1. 3524 Rutger.

PULLETS—100 barred rocks; good stock; $1.25 each. 1823 N. Vandeventer. (c4)

SQUABS Wtd.—Timmerberg's Market, 4035 Chouteau.

SAFES

SAFES—New and used; repairing done. John Baumann Safe Co., 421 N. 4th. (c8)

SAFES—New or refinished; all sizes; for every purpose. Agents for Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co. Repairing done by experts. Howe Scale Co., 512-14 St. Charles. (c8)

SEWING MACHINES

ALL makes of sewing machines repaired and accessories. Bomont 3069. Central 9225R. (5)

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AUTOMOBILES

WANTED

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FORD—Coupe, 1919 chassis, 1917 body; very good condition; will trade; terms. 1815 Russell.

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FORDS—4 coupes, late model; sacrifice; cheap; trade; sell bodies. 3516 Easton. (c5)

FORD—Coupe, 1917 model, with starter; small down payment, balance monthly. Johnson Auto Co., 3667 Olive st. (c62)

FORD—Coupe, starter and demountable wheels; $253 cash, balance monthly. Johnson Auto Co., 3667 Olive st. (c62)

FORD—1918 coupe; excellent condition; many extras; $515; terms. 3019 Locust.

DODGE—1920, coupe; cord tires, lot of extras; run only 4000 miles; easy terms. 2801 Locust. Bomont 1862. Central 1180.

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FORDS—15 roadsters; all models; $125 up; trade; easy terms. 3631 Easton av. (c8)

FORDS—5 roadsters, some starters, $150 up; cash or terms. 4106 Olive. (6)

FORD—Roadster, 1919, like new; a bargain; easy terms. 2224 Washington. (c62)

FORD—Roadster, 1918; perfect motor; newly painted; $250; easy terms. 2224 S. Jefferson. (c62)

FORD—Speedster; a real snappy looking car; will sacrifice, $275. 1210 Olive. (c5)

FORD—Speedster; very classy, white wire wheels, Cadillac blue body; $250; easy terms; open evenings. 2224 S. Jefferson. (c62)

FORD—Roadster, 1918; motor in excellent condition; demountable wheels, Yale lock; $220; big bargain. 3938 Cote Brilliante. (c4)

HUPMOBILE—Roadster, $150 cash, balance easy payments. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington. (5)

HUPMOBILE—Roadster; 1918; newly painted; 5 tires; easily worth $750; today $550; terms; trade. 4106 Olive. (c5)

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CHEVROLET—1920 sedan; $750; $250 down, balance year. 4630 Olive. (c5)

FORD—Sedan; 1920; excellent condition; $650; good bargain. 3938 Cote Brilliante. (c4)

FORD—Sedan, with starter, $200 down, balance monthly. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington. (5)

AUTOMOBILES

SEDANS

FORD—Sedan; starter and demountable wheels; $269 cash, balance monthly. Johnson Auto Co., 3667 Olive st. (c62)

FORD—Sedan; late model; has electric starter, demountables, other extras; $475; easy terms; open evenings. 2224 S. Jefferson. (c62)

FORD—Sedans, 2, 1920; electric starter, demountables, upholstery and paint fine condition; $500; terms; open evenings. 2224 S. Jefferson. (c62)

FORD—1920 sedan; perfect condition; new extra tire, steering wheel lock; $695; terms. 3019 Locust.

FORD—Sedan, 1917; excellent mechanical condition; repainted; good oversized tires, shock absorbers, U. & J. carburetor, electric starting and lighting system; this car is fully equipped and looks and runs as good as new. Call Forest 8235M. (c4)

GRANT—1919 sedan; overhauled and guaranteed; repainted; excellent condition; low price; easy terms and trade. 3019 Locust.

HUDSON—Super sedan; splendid condition and appearance; leaving city, want quick deal; $1400, money or paper. Box W-50 Post-Dispatch.

MAXWELL—1920, sedan; like new; run only 1700 miles; at a saving of $500; 12 months to pay. Bomont 1262. Central 7170. 2801 Locust. (c4)

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TOURING CARS

BRISCOE—Touring, 1919 model; $250 cash, balance monthly. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington. (5)

BUICK—Touring; 1917; fine condition; 5 tires; today, $450; terms; trade. 4106 Olive. (c5)

BUICK—1917, touring; excellent condition; 12 months to pay. 2801 Locust st. Central 7170, Bomont 1262. (c4)

BUICK—Touring; late model; guaranteed; $385 cash, balance monthly. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington. (5)

BUICK—Touring; very latest 1919 model; have obtained another of those ever popular, powerful Buick light 6's, which we can offer at a very big saving; Goodyear tires, Venetian blue finish; presents same appearance as new; finest guaranteed mechanical condition; will serve like brand-new; wonderful buy for someone; small cash payment, balance 12 months. Huber-Wilson M. C. Co., 3332 Olive, at Lindell. Open nights, Sunday. (c91)

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CHALMERS—Touring, runs perfect, $125 down, balance monthly. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington av. (5)

CHEVROLET—Touring, 5 months old; cash or terms. 2041 Alice av. (c)

CHEVROLET—Late model 4-90; reasonable, or trade for Ford touring. 4944 Quincy st. Riverside 1657W.

CHEVROLET—1918, 4—90 touring; $225; 1918 Ford roadster, $210. 4719A Natural Bridge.

CHEVROLET—Touring; perfect condition; bargain. 3808 West Pine bl. Lindell 6224. (c7)

CHEVROLET—Touring; late model; guaranteed A1 condition; $200 takes this car; bargain. 3804 Cook. (c1)

CHEVROLE—1919, 490 touring car; good tires and top; the price is $100 below inventory; cash or terms. 1645 S. Grand. (c76)

CHEVROLET—Touring, 1918; good tires, motor, starter and battery A1 condition; $100 down, balance $16.25 month; snap for someone. 3804 Cook. (c1)

DODGE—Touring, late model, good condition; cheap for cash. 1600 S. 14th. (5)

DODGE—Runs perfect; new; $398; cash, terms; trade diamonds, anything. 2340A Olive st. (5)

DODGE—Touring car; 1920 model; this car is in perfect condition; looks just like new; must sell at once; make me an offer. 768 Aubert or Delmar 3815R. (c6)

DODGE—New 1920 model touring; used few weeks; will give service like brand new; extra tire, latest equipment, enamel like brand-new; finest guaranteed condition; wonderful buy for someone; small cash payment, balance 12 months. Huber-Wilson M. C. Co., 3332 Olive, at Lindell. Open nights, Sunday. (c91)

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DODGE—Touring; new 1920; delivered from factory just two or three weeks; paper still on floor boards; not a blemish or scratch on same; delivery off show floor; fully equipped and standard guaranteed; extra tire, new, and spring bumpers; wonderful buy for some one; small cash payment, balance 12 months. Huber-Wilson M. C. Co., Coliseum, Jefferson and Locust. Open nights, Sunday. (c91)

FORD—Touring; late model; excellent motor; cheap; terms. 2224 Washington. (c14)

FORD—Touring; 1918; $300; fine condition; terms. Riefling's, 511 N. 1st. (c14)

FORDS—10 touring, all models, $150 up; cash or terms. 4106 Olive st. (6)

FORD—Touring, 1917; only $175; terms, trade. Morris, 214-16 N. 21st., near Olive.

FORD—Touring, 1920; good shape; $275; terms, trade. Morris, 214-16 N. 21st.

FORD—Touring, 1920; like new; starting block; cheap. 4301 Laclede.

FORD—Touring; any kind; anyone can meet our terms. 1819 Sidney. (6)

FORD—Touring cars; 10 new and used cars; cash or terms. 3114 Cass. (6)

FORDS—25 tourings; all models; $125 up; terms; trade old. 3631 Easton av. (c8)

FORD—Touring car, late 1917; good shape; $150 cash. 3212 N. 21st.

FORD—Touring; good condition; good tires; $175. 1819 Sidney. (6)

FORD—Touring; starter; late model; cheap; terms; trade. Morris, 214-16 N. 21st, near Olive.

FORDS—15 touring cars and roadsters; sacrifice; must sell; cheap. 3516 Easton. (c5)

FORD—Touring car, $154 cash, balance monthly. Johnson Auto Co., 3667 Olive. (c62)

FORD—Touring, 1918; '14 body; shock absorbers, new tires, Yale lock, speedometer, new curtains; $135. Kirkwood 219W. (c)

FORD—Touring car, 1920 model, with starter; small down payment, balance monthly. Johnson Auto Co., 3667 Olive st. (c62)

FORD—Touring, 1919, demountable wheels, one-man top, $225. Mrs. Schulz's car. 3516 Easton av. (c5)

FORD—Touring car, 1918; shock absorbers; first-class condition; $200. Residence, 3611 Cass. (4)

FORD—Touring, late model, $125 cash, balance monthly. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington av. (5)

FORD—Touring, 1919 model; runs like new; big bargain; $275; terms. 3804 Cook. (c1)

FORD—Touring car, 1919; starter block; $175 down, pay balance small monthly notes. Mendenhall, Ford Dealer, 2315 Locust st. (c6)

FORD—Late model touring; winter top, demountable rims, very good tires; a splendid running car; easy terms. Mendenhall, Ford Dealer, 2315 Locust. (c6)

FORD—Touring car, 1919; looks and runs like new; starter and other accessories; has to be seen to be appreciated. Mendenhall, Ford dealer, 2315 Locust. (c6)

FORD—1919 touring car; starter and other accessories; $350; looks and runs perfect; easy terms. Mendenhall, Ford Dealer, 2315 Locust st. (c6)

GRANT—6-cylinder, 5-passenger touring; in A1 condition; must sell at once; will take $350. 6311 Easton av.; after 5 p. m. at 6427 Chatham, 2 blocks north of Page. (c7)

GRANT—1919 touring; overhauled and guaranteed; repainted; excellent condition; low price; easy terms and trade. 3019 Locust st.

HUDSON—Super 6; summer and winter top; $850. 206 N. 23d st. (91)

HUDSON—Super-six; late model; used very little; 5 cord tires; today, $975; terms; trade. 4106 Olive st. (c5)

HUPMOBILE—5-passenger; good condition; $395; easy terms. 2801 Locust st. Bomont 1262. Central 7170. (c4)

HUP—1920, touring; run only 2000 miles; save several hundred on this car. 2801 Locust st. Bomont 1262, Central 1170. (c4)

KING—Touring, 8-cylinder, 7-passenger, late model; newly painted; new top with special winter curtains; 6 nearly new tires, 3 extra tubes, seat covers, bumper, Weed chains and other extras; $1000 under list price; will take diamonds or Ford coupe as part payments; 1 year on balance. Call Lindell 2328. Mr. O'Neill. (c7)

MAXWELL—Touring; late 1918; best of mechanical condition; good tires; worth $550; sacrifice $300; terms. 3804 Cook. (c1)

AUTOMOBILES

TOURING CARS

MAXWELL 1918 TOURING, $100 DOWN. Like giving it away; all we ask is to take a ride and watch it eat up the hills; you will say it's a running fool; 5 good tires, door-opening curtains; $500 would be cheap; think of it, $375; $100 down, balance easy payments; no interest; or will trade. YAHLEM MOTOR CO., 1035 N. Grand. Open evenings. (c)

OAKLAND 6—Touring; used only few months; stored long period; tires like brand-new; Oakland Brewster green finish; finest guaranteed mechanical condition; elegant winter door-opening curtains; full factory equipment; a car like new at much less than half new price; small cash payment, balance 12 months. Huber-Wilson M. C. Co., 3332 Olive, at Lindell. Open nights. Sunday. (c91)

SAXON "6"—Touring, 1919 model; new tires; finest mechanical condition; leather top and upholstery; firm and full; finish original, barely shows a mar; a thorough demonstration, and critical inspection will convince the most exacting on this sturdy light "6"; Continental motor; wonderfully low price; small cash payment; balance 12 months. Huber-Wilson M. C. Co., 3332 Olive, at Lindell. Open nights, Sunday. (c91)

MOON 6—Touring car; will sacrifice; you must see the car; $575. 3109 N. Grand. (c4)

NASH—Touring, perfect condition, terms. Mr. Lewis, 1900 Washington. (5)

OVERLAND—Touring, 1919 model 90; cost $1080; must sell, $425; terms. 4106 Olive. (c5)

PACKARD—1920, 7-passenger twin six car, fully equipped and two spare tires; run 7000 miles, and in perfect condition; $4750 for quick sale; cost $6500 without extra equipment. Western Automobile Co. (c7)

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REO—Will sacrifice $400 on my new speed wagon. Box N-99, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SAXON 6—Demonstrator; $300 down, easy terms for the balance. 2801 Locust st. Bomont 1262, Central 7170. (c4)

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STUDEBAKER 4, 1918 TOURING, $125 DOWN.

Talk about bargains, read this: Powerful, well-built car; all this goes with it: $200 al-glass winter top, cozy as a sedan; why freeze; also summer top; 5 good tires, license, tools and bumper. You will be surprised to see how smooth it runs; easily worth $700; practically giving it away for $475; $125 down, balance easy payments; no interest; your old car in trade. YAHLEM MOTOR CO., 1035 N. Grand. Open evenings. (c)

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TOURING CAR—Late 5-passenger; 5 good tires, starter and electric lights; $150 cash. 3804 Cook. (c1)

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Listen to this for a bargain; everything you could desire in a motor car; beautiful and comfortable; carries the Continental Red Seal motor, found only in high-grade cars. Let us give you a ride and you will be surprised to see how smoothly it runs; don't buy junk and regret it; a high-grade car is cheaper in the long run; cost $1685. Just think of it, $675 takes it; $250 down, balance easy payments; no interest; your old car in trade. YAHLEM MOTOR CO., 1035 N. Grand. Open evenings. (c)

TRUCKS

DORRIS—Truck; splendid condition; extra good body and cab; cheap. 3019 Locust.

FORD—Chassis or truck, new-looking, $148; $48 down, trade. 2340A Olive. (5)

FORD—Truck, 1920, like new; don't miss it; terms. 2224 Washington. (c14)

FORD—By private party; ton truck; starter. Box W-74, Post-Dispatch. (89)

FORD—Truck, panel body; immediate delivery; terms. Bailey, 2117 Olive. (c54)

FORD TRUCKS—Any style body; immediate delivery; terms. Bailey, 2117 Olive. (c14)

FORDS—Trucks, new and used, cash or time; 55 styles. Riefling's, 511 N. 1st. (c14)

FORD—Truck; light delivery; open express body; slightly used; guaranteed; terms. 2320 Olive. (c8)

FORD—Truck; 1-ton; worm drive; 1920 model; stake body; used very little; terms. 2320 Olive. (c8)

TRUCKS—One 2-ton autocar, one ¾ ton G. M. C.; cheap for quick sale. Apply Morris & Co., 1110 N. 12th. (c7)

TRUCK—4-ton; 1919; completely overhauled; guaranteed first-class; terms. Mendelhall, Ford Dealer, 2315 Locust. (c6)

AUTOMOBILES—MISCELLANEOUS

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Pullman, '17' model, 5-passenger.
Chalmers, sedan, 5-passenger.
2105 Pine st. (c5)

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These cars have been accepted in exchange on Dorris models, and are priced to move. Look over our stock. Courteous treatment to all inquiries. Liberal terms.

Dorris, 4100 Laclede Av. (c92)

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FORD ROADSTER REAR DECKS—Bell Telephone Garage, Missouri Pacific Tracks and Talmage. (4)

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SOLID TRUCK TIRES—Two sets, 30x3½; 2 sets wheels, 30x3, demountable rims; 2 rear Hudson wheels. Phone Olive 6693.

TIRES—Five, 36x5, Goodyear, solid truck tires; new; $25 each. Mr. Stephenson, Packard Motor Car Co.

USED CHEVROLET PARTS—At half price; cylinder blocks, radiators, starting motors, generators, coils, used bodies, axles, in fact, most any part used on 4-90 Chevrolet. 3008 N. Grand. (c55)

WINTER TOP—Bargain; for Ford. Box A-45, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

WINTER TOP—For Hudson early super six; bargain. Box A-40, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

WINTER TOP—For model K Hup; like new. Central 9259L, 3404 Washington. (91)

WINTER TOPS—For Ford roadster, Ford touring, Dodge touring, Chandler touring and Hudson touring, from $25 to $35. Welling Motor Co., 5033 Delmar bl. (c8)

WINTER TOPS—We are now in position to furnish tops for Dodge touring cars; same on display. Welling Motor Co., 5033 Delmar bl. (c8)

PATENTS

PATENTS obtained; advice and folder free. F. J. Larson, 105 N. 7th st.; Olive 576.(6)

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

FOR SALE

COFFEE MILL—New electric mill; alternating current; for sale at a sacrifice. Box A-50, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

COMPUTING SCALES—New or refinished; guaranteed to be accurate; terms. Howe Scale Co., 512-14 St. Charles st. Both phones. (c8)

COMPUTING SCALES—All makes, save ½ of regular price; new 60-75c charts put in old scales; repair work guaranteed. Welscher, 924 N. Broadway. Cen. 2952. Olive 1983. (c92)

COUNTER—And case; several 8-foot showcases and counters. Drug store, Spring and Wyoming.

DESK—One roll top oak desk, one flat-top oak desk; good condition; reasonable. 804 N. Levee. (c5)

PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE FURNITURE—And equipment. 608 Rialto Theater Bldg., 12 to 2 p. m., any day. (c92)

STOCK OF GROCERIES—And fixtures. 1616 Glasgow av.; belongs to estate and must be sold at once. Joseph Boxerman, 324 Central National Bank Bldg. (c62)

TABLE—Large, oak, suitable for directors' table. Orcutt', 6801 Delmar; bargain.

TYPEWRITERS AND ADDING MACHINES

TYPEWRITERS—Bought, sold and rented; all makes, $3.50 month up. 502 Pine st. Olive 2878; prompt service. (c62)

TYPEWRITERS—Selling any make; repair, rental. Fletcher Typewriter Co., 321 Holland Bldg., 211 N. 7th st. (c55)

TYPEWRITERS—Underwood, Oliver, Smith, Royal, Remington typewriters, $15 to $75; rentals, 3 months $5 upward. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 211 N. 10th st. Olive 7245. (8)

BICYCLES AND MOTOR CYCLES

WANTED

BICYCLES Wtd.—Girl's and boy's, 12 and 14 year sizes; must be in good condition. Box K-176, Post-Dispatch. (c)

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE

FARM WAGON—Young horses, harness; all $155. Call 3315 Easton.

HARNESS—Double and single. 1923 Franklin av. (c58)

HORSES—Team; wagon and harness; cheap. 834 Chouteau. (4)

HORSE—Chunky 5-year-old; must sell. 1827 N. 23d.

HORSES—City Hauling; 10; all purposes; horses, mares, mules, harness; cheap. 3646 Chippewa.

HORSES—And mares; 15; all sizes; $20 up. Hoffner-O'Connor Coal Co., 715 S. Vandeventer. (c5)

MARES—Pair, fat; double harness, express wagon; all $55. 2713 Franklin.

MARES—Team; double harness; $75; horse, spring wagon, harness; $40. 3827 St. Ferdinand.

MARE—Fat, bay; coal wagon, harness; all $55; 3 fat mares, $15, $18 and $22. 3315 Easton av.

MULES—Two, 7 years old, fat, weight 2300. Market gardener, 6149 Natural Bridge. (6)

MULES—Apply at stable, King's highway and McRee. (c4)

MULES—Harness and wagons. Bell Telephone Garage, Missouri Pacific Tracks and Talmage. (4)

MULES—Choice lot of 21 mules, just out of work; suitable for any light work. Apply Hydraulic Press Brick Co., King's highway and Natural Bridge road. (c4)

WAGONS—2 double furniture wagons; excellent condition; 1 with high stakes, 7 seats, 6 inches wide inside by 17 feet long back of driver's seat; 1 open style with ridge pole; 1 set double harness. Apply Conrades Mfg. Co., 1942 N. 2d st. (c4)

MACHINERY

WANTED

ALL machinery bought and sold by us. Schoellhorn-Albrecht Machine Co. 721 N. Second st., St. Louis, Mo. (c8)

MACHINE Wtd.—Small, for cutting bread for sandwiches. Box N-9, Post-Dispatch.

SECONDHAND MACHINERY (Wanted to Buy) for Cash. Water, steam or gas radiators and secondhand pipe. J. A. STERN. Both phones, 17th and Chestnut sts. (c8)

FOR SALE

BOILERS—Several vertical boilers; bargains. Acme Boiler Co., 1212 Cass av. (c92)

MACHINERY—For sale, bought, rented. John Ramming Machine Co., 300 S. 1st. (c15)

MOTOR BARGAINS—58 single phase, 29 three phase, 12 direct current; from 1-8 h. p. up. Wiswell Electric Co., 122 N. 7th st. (c56)

MOTORS—New General Electric Co.; single phase; three-phase and direct current, in all sizes, for immediate delivery. Let us quote you on your needs. Columbia Elec. Co., 1109 Pine st. Phone Olive 2737. (c8)

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All the above machine tools may be had at bargain prices. Box K-392, Post-Dis. (c4)

MUSICAL

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

VIOLIN, mandolin, guitar, banjo, ukulele taught; instruments loaned. Putnam, 1121 N. Leonard. (5)

TUNING AND REPAIRING

BIRDMAN'S Piano Factory, 1813 S. Jefferson; Vic. 1741R; Gr. 927W. Tuning, rep., refinishing; uprights made into players.(c14)

SCHUBERT & SON, 2607 Franklin av.; free estimate on tuning, repairing and refinishing. Bomont 171W, Central 1571. (c56)

TUNING and player work a specialty. Frank Stell, 1414 N. 16th. Central 1948; Tyler 250. (c8)

$2 EXPERT piano tuning, repairing, reasonable; all work guaranteed. M. Feldman, 2701 Park. Phone Grand 3900, Victor 516. (c14)

$2 TUNING pianos, players; first-class repair work guaranteed; 25 years' experience. H. Kautz, 2529 S. Jefferson. Sidney 2910W, Victor 2576L. (c14)

WANTED

CASH paid for saxophones, Gibson mandolins, clarinets, etc. Tony Facht, 1001 Pine. (5)

VICTROLA Wtd.—Small size, and records; must be a bargain. Box K-29, Post-Dis.

INSTRUMENTS FOR SALE

VIOLIN—1489 Laurel av.

PIANOS AND ORGANS

AUTO PIANO—88-note; metal tubes; like new; cheap. 3844 S. Compton. (c76)

PLAYER-PIANO—88-note mahogany; sell cheap. 3417 Chippewa. (c6)

PIANO—Very reasonable; Marshall & Wendell. 1532 Short st. (4)

PIANO—Upright; cheap; first-class condition. 5224 Enright, Cabany 3053J.

PLAYER-PIANO—88-note; mahogany case; bargain. 3448 S. Jefferson. (89)

PLAYER-PIANO—88-note, like new; cheap for cash. 1813 S. Jefferson. (c8)

PLAYER-PIANO—Beautiful tone; almost new; household goods; cheap; immediately. 5127 Cabanne. (5)

PIANO—Beautifully carved mahogany upright; sacrifice. 5269 Vernon av., apartment D. (5)

PLAYER-PIANO — 88-note Schmitz & Schultz, cabinet grand, bench, 53 rolls, cabinet, 3847 Greer. (c89)

PLAYER-PIANO—Apollo 88-note, full size; mahogany; good action; $10 music rolls and bench, $310, $9 per month. Sixth floor, FAMOUS & BARR CO., (c55)

PIANOS—Slightly used uprights; good makes; all in perfect condition; terms as low as $1 per week. LEHMAN PIANO CO., 1107 Olive st. (5)

PLAYER-PIANO—$125; original cost $750; used in family with no children; 88-note; fine tone, bench and rolls; terms to suit. LEHMAN PIANO CO., 1107 Olive st. (5)

PLAYER-PIANO—$115; used 88-note; mahogany case; good tone; bench and rolls; terms, $2.50 per week. LEHMAN PIANO CO., 1107 Olive st. (5)

MUSICAL

FOR SALE

WE HAVE a large assortment of players and pianos, $150 and upwards; slightly used; cash or terms if desired. Schubert & Son Piano Co., 2607 Franklin. (c92)

PIANOLA PIANO—Weber 88-note; exchanged, almost new; metrostyle and themodist 6-point motor; wonderful action and good tone; save $400; terms. Sixth floor. FAMOUS & BARR CO. (c55)

PLAYER-PIANO—Cecelian 88-note; excellent condition; just exchanged for Ampico; plain mahogany case; good motor; almost ½ price, $535; music and bench; terms. Sixth floor. FAMOUS AND BARR CO. (c55)

PLAYER-PIANO—High grade, 88-note, all modern devices; new price $1200; just exchanged for Duo Art and will sell for $495; music rolls and bench included; $50 cash, $12 per month. AEOLIAN CO., 1004 Olive st. (c89)

PIANO—Kranich & Bach Baby Grand; latest brown mahogany; slightly shop-worn; excellent tone and action; see at once and save $200. Sixth floor, FAMOUS & BARR CO. (c55)

LOW RENT—No salesmen; best pianos at lowest prices; one of our big values, H. C. Bay, solo concerto player; regular price $585; our price $485. PIANO SERVICE Co., 1139 Chestnut st. (c5)

PLAYER-PIANO—Used, 88-note; $160 cash; original price $700; also good player, $140 cash; left here by private parties to be sold. Phillips Piano Co., 3200 S. Grand. (c6)

PIANO—Chickering & Sons, of Boston; slightly used; brown mahogany; style Q; excellent tone; fine repeating action; splendid for small room; musician will appreciate; $875, terms; duet bench. Sixth floor. FAMOUS & BARR CO. (c55)

PIANO—Weber Grand; small parlor size; dull finish case; piano is only shop-worn and will give original factory guarantee; wonderful tone; much less than original price; terms if desired. AEOLIAN CO., 1004 Olive st. (c89)

PIANOS—Chickering upright, mahogany; Steinway, mahogany; Kranich & Bach, mahogany; Cable, mahogany; all in excellent condition and ready for immediate delivery; one-third to one-half off list prices; small monthly payments; (used.) Sixth floor. FAMOUS & BARR CO. (c55)

PIANO—Steinway & Sons Verti-Grand; plain modern style; dull finish; mahogany; fine for apartment; full sweet tone and action; almost like new; very special, $645; small payments. Sixth floor, FAMOUS & BARR CO. (c55)

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PLAYER-PIANO—Elegant mahogany; stool, bench, record cabinet and one hundred music rolls, slightly second-hand; at a big bargain for spot cash; come in and be convinced. HAST AUCTION CO., 2009-11 Morgan. (c62)

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ROOMS and BOARD

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

ROOMS—Three, unfurnished; bath, gas, electric. Box W-117, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ROOM—To high-grade business man, in elegant home of mother and daughter, where 3 gentlemen are given pleasant and comfortable home; 3 baths; hot-water heat. Lindell 6413J.

CENTRAL

BELL, 3513—Light housekeeping rooms; steam heat, hot water, electric.

BELL, 3513—Sleeping room for gentlemen; front; steam heat, hot water, electric, free phones.

LEONARD, 1014 N.—2 unfurnished rooms, bath and electric.

LOCUST, 3127—Rooms; running water; public and private baths; $1 day; $5 week up. (c8)

LUCAS, 3430—Three front rooms and connecting housekeeping rooms. Lindell 2439J. (4)

PINE, 3552—Clean, well heated front room with alcove and kitchenette; conveniences; reasonable.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CENTRAL

THERESA, 920 N.—Two or three furnished rooms; sleeping or light housekeeping. (c76)

WASHINGTON, 3321—Furnished housekeeping rooms; gas ranges, bath, hot water, laundry; $4 to $6.50 per week; children welcome. (91)

SOUTH

ACCOMAC, 2748—Two nicely furnished sleeping rooms; private family; convenient to cars.

ARSENAL, 1316—Light housekeeping room for 2 or 3; Sidney 4056W.

FLAD, 4008—Cozy room in private family; kitchen privileges; reasonable; all conveniences.

GRAND, 3177A S.—Neatly furnished room for gentlemen; phone. (4)

HARTFORD, 4229A—Eight-room; steam heat; strictly modern. (c)

JUNIATA, 3617—Comfortable room, suitable for two; three car lines; gentlemen preferred.

—LAFAYETTE, 2634—2d-floor front parlor; fuel, bath; small adult family; $3.50.

LAFAYETTE, 2848—1 or 2 large rooms for housekeeping; conveniences. (89)

LAFAYETTE, 2744—Two front rooms; light housekeeping; all conveniences.

MICHIGAN, 1803—Three furnished rooms, housekeeping; living room, bedroom, kitchen, bath, connecting; gas, electric; vacant 10th.

MISSISSIPPI, 1730—Rooms for housekeeping; electric, gas furnished. (5)

MISSISSIPPI, 1502—Nice second-floor room; heat, hot water continuously; gentlemen. (4)

MISSISSIPPI, 1100—Neatly furnished rooms, light housekeeping; heat, electric and phone.

PARK, 3325A—2 connecting rooms for housekeeping.

PESTALOZZI, 2001A—Clean furnished hall room for gentleman, $1.25 weekly; apply upstairs.

RUSSELL, 3616B—2 unfurnished rooms, single or en suite; adults only. Grand 2309R.

SHENANDOAH, 3815—Large front room, nicely furnished; conveniences. Grand 4056W.

WEST

BAYARD, 1337—2 connecting unfurnished rooms; electric, gas, bath.

CATES, 5168A—Modern, comfortably furnished room; reasonable.

CATES AV.—2 housekeeping rooms; private family. Call after 5, Forest 6432R.

CATES, 5081—Nicely furnished, warm room, for gentlemen only.

CATES, 5168A—Two rooms; warm, modern, private family; phone; reasonable.

CLEMENS, 5661—South front; hot-water heat; private family; employed. Cabany 3726M. (62)

COOK, 4104—Neatly furnished front room, on first floor; Lindell 4199J; colored. (*)

DELMAR BL., 3874—Sleeping rooms; gentlemen or refined couple; clean, quiet home.

DELMAR BL., 3897—Rooms for light housekeeping; single or en suite; respectable people. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4425—Light housekeeping room with kitchenette; large front room; all conveniences. (4)

DELMAR, 3854—Two connecting housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; children welcome.

DELMAR BL., 4371—Four-room furnished flat; gas, electric, phone; heat furnished. (c5)

DELMAR BL., 3841—Warm housekeeping room; gas range, refrigerator; family washing privileges.

DELMAR BL., 4123—Neatly furnished room, private home; all conveniences; gentlemen only. (6)

DELMAR BL., 4614A—Nicely furnished front room; steam heat; 1 or 2 gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 4065—Two connecting rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping; also garage. Lindell 2408J.

DELMAR BL., 4052—Warm, cheerful, clean, nicely furnished rooms; continuous hot water, electricity; free phone; sleeping, housekeeping; cut rate.

ENRIGHT, 5223—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; gents. Forest 1797W.

ENRIGHT, 4262A—2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; heat, light, phone.

ENRIGHT, 4479—Large housekeeping room, with kitchenette; newly papered; $8.

ENRIGHT, 5060—Pleasant room; congenial private home. Forest 3140. (6)

ENRIGHT, 5193—Suite of rooms; hot water heat; clean, warm; housekeeping.

ENRIGHT, 5204A—Neatly furnished, steam-heated sleeping rooms; $5; continuous hot water. (74)

ENRIGHT, 4545—Large, front, warm, housekeeping room, with kitchenette; range, electric; adults.

EVANS, 4245—2 or 3 rooms for housekeeping or sleeping.

FOREST PARK BL., 4399—Beautiful newly furnished housekeeping rooms; small kitchenette; hot-water heat; all modern conveniences. (6)

GOODFELLOW, 1221—Second-floor room for persons employed. Cabany 5356W.

HAMILTON, 936—Large room for gentleman or lady employed; phone.

KENSINGTON, 5109—Furnished 1, 2 or 3 rooms, housekeeping; gas range.

LACLEDE, 3747—Connecting housekeeping rooms; gas range, electric.

LACLEDE, 4329—1 furnished room for gentleman or lady; very desirable; conveniences.

LINDELL BL., 4117—Large and small rooms, in residence. Lindell 1245W.

LINDELL BL., 4062—Neatly furnished rooms for housekeeping; couple employed.

LINDELL BL., 4024—Beautifully furnished rooms; private bath; garage; gentlemen. Lindell 5084J. (5)

LINDELL-VANDEVENTER, 229 N.—Newly furnished front room in steam-heated apartment; for business gentlemen or couple. Stansbury. Lindell 3686J. (4)

McPHERSON, 4150—Furnished front room; modern; gentlemen.

McPHERSON, 4122A—Two nice rooms; all conveniences; steam-heated apartment; Bell phone. (4)

McPHERSON, 4632—Newly furnished southern-exposed room; University Olive car. (7)

McPHERSON, 4940—Suite of 3d floor apt., single or en suite; private bath; gentleman.

MARYLAND, 4201—Front room, 1st floor; all housekeeping rooms; modern; phone.

MARYLAND, 4310—Bedroom in apartment, first floor; those employed preferred. Call mornings or after 6 p. m., Lindell 2234W.

MINERVA, 5134—Nicely furnished 2d floor room; gentlemen; references. Forest 5226M. (5)

NEWBERRY, 4549—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; reasonable. Lindell 5485W.

OLIVE, 3731—Nicely furnished sleeping room; conveniences

OLIVE, 3748—2 front rooms, well furnished; apartment; steam heat, hot water, gas range, electricity, linens and dishes.

PAGE BL., 4847A—Nicely furnished room, warm, conveniences, for 1 or 2.

PAGE, 5132—3 unfurnished rooms, to responsible adults; private residence; references required.

PAGE BL., 4224—Sleeping and light housekeeping rooms, in private home; modern conveniences; free phone.

PAGE BL., 5063—Nicely furnished room for employed couple or gentlemen; also single room for gentleman; private family. Forest 5252W. (5)

PINE, 3805—Furnished and unfurnished housekeeping allowed; $5 week up. Lindell 1787. (89)

ROOM—With private bath; for gentlemen. Forest 6000. (5)

ROOM—5600 west; large room, furnished for 1 or 2 ladies employed. Cabany 2538W.

ROOM—By private family; west of Taylor; modern conveniences; references exchanged. Forest 1493.

ROOM—Comfortable, steam heated; for gentleman, with owner; no other guests. Cabany 1352. (4)

ROOM—Newly furnished; every convenience; southern exposure; steam heat. Delmar 3826L.

ROOM—43xx Lindell; newly furnished; steam-heated apartment; employed couple, gentlemen. Lindell 2021.

ROOMS—2, large; separate or connected; newly furnished; steam heat; select neighborhood; near Delmar and Hamilton; each $25 monthly. Box W-53, Post-Dispatch.

TAYLOR, 1216 N.—Two connecting light housekeeping rooms; gas and electric.

VERNON, 5255—Beautiful 2d-floor bedroom; mahogany; continuous hot water. (c8)

WASHINGTON BL., 3915—Three furnished rooms; call in the morning.

WASHINGTON BL., 4321—Two beautifully furnished bedrooms and bath. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4320—Five beautifully furnished rooms and kitchen; hot-water heat. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4956—Large double room, with breakfast; business people only. Forest 1802. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 3958—French home; splendid rooms, twin beds, conveniences; reasonable; employed only.

WASHINGTON, 4806—2 nicely furnished rooms; housekeeping; all conveniences; private phone.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4228—Desirable room; 1 or 2 gentlemen; hot-water heat.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4144—Room; good heat, hot water; private family; after 6 p. m., Lindell 3634R.

WESTMINSTER PL., 3968—Rooms for men employed; permanent only; block of Olive cars. (89)

ROOMS FOR RENT—WEST

WESTMINSTER PL., 3754—Nicely furnished front room; also smaller room; southern exposure; all conveniences; gentlemen or ladies employed; reasonable. (5)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3731—Beautiful 2d-floor parlor with sun parlor and 2 small bedrooms connecting; newly decorated; all conveniences. Lindell 1029W.

WEST PINE BL., 3720—Well heated rooms; continuous hot water. Lindell 1178W. (c5)

WEST PINE BL., 3626—Large housekeeping room, $5.50; also sleeping rooms; very reasonable.

WEST PINE BL., 4258—Two second-floor connecting rooms for housekeeping; good heat.

WEST PINE BL., 3720—Well heated rooms; continuous hot water. Lindell 1178W. (c5)

WEST PINE BL., 3911—Neatly furnished rooms; kitchen privileges for couple employed; steam heat.

NORTH

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4548—2 furnished housekeeping rooms; reasonable. Call after 6.

ELEVENTH, 2614 N.—Front room for light housekeeping; cooking gas, electric light.(5)

GRAND, 3113 N.—Two large, neatly furnished 2d-floor front rooms, for housekeeping.

KENNERLY, 3906—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; electric, fuel, phone; $7.50.

SEMPLE, 2826—3 or 4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; convs.; Cabany 2942W. (c4)

SEMPLE, 1327A—Nicely furnished room and kitchenette; good heat, electric, continuous hot water, phone; private; references.

SEMPLE, 1610A—Furnished room; kitchen privileges; conveniences; private family; ladies employed; references. (4)

THEODOSIA, 5625—Pleasant room; board and laundry; private family; couple preferred; reasonable.

THEODOSIA, 5899—Furnished housekeeping rooms, for couple; heat, hot water, laundry, sewing machine; separate entrance; no children; janitor.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

SOUTH

PARK, 3130—Room and board, $7 week. (4)

RUSSELL, 3616B—Large room for two; with board; select neighborhood. Grand 2309R.

WEST

BARTMER, 5591—West End; room and board in private family; steam heat. Forest 7211M. (4)

BELT, 1394—Single room, good board; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred. Forest 933R.

BOYLE, 226 N.—Second apartment south; exceptionally bright, warm front room; excellent board. (4)

CABANNE, 5571A—Room and board; one or two; very reasonable. Forest 5375W. (4)

CABANNE, 5029—Board for lady employed; Hodiamont cars. (4)

CATES, 5176A—Room and board; two girls or couple employed.

CATES, 5091—Front room and board; gentleman; hot-water heat; modern home.

CATES, 5123—Large front room; home cooking; hot-water heat; reasonable. Forest 816[illegible].

DELMAR BL., 3930—Room and board; also meals; gentlemen only. Lindell 5982W.

DELMAR BL., 4202—Large, clean, warm room; home cooking, hot bath, phones; reasonable. (5)

ENRIGHT, 4257—Second-floor rooms with board; southern exposure. Lindell 2081W.

ENRIGHT, 5101—Neatly furnished rooms, suitable for couple or two ladies; also single room; excellent meals. (4)

McPHERSON, 4263—Well-furnished steam-heated room, with board. (6)

MARYLAND, 4309—In apartment, second floor east, beautiful room, with first-class meals; 2 gentlemen, couple employed. (6)

MINERVA, 5218—Desirable second south room, with board, for two; modern conv.

ROOM AND BOARD—Gentlemen or couple employed; direct car line. Lindell 3433.

ROOM—AND BOARD IF DESIRED, FOR 2 EMPLOYED LADIES; PRIVATE HOME; MODERN CONVENIENCES. CABANY 4591W.

TWENTY-THIRD, 3218 N.—Front room in private home; $3.50 week; would board a workingman. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 3837—Large, beautiful front room, with good board; girls only.

WASHINGTON BL., 4953—Nicely furnished, warm room for gentlemen; all conveniences; good meals. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 4957—Large room; all conveniences; hot-water heat; excellent table.

WEST PINE BL., 4252—One comfortable room, good board; reasonable. (7)

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NORTH

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ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Man and 3 boys; state price. Box W-111, Post-Dispatch.

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ROOMS WANTED

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ROOMS Wtd.—Three, unfurnished; private family; or small flat; couple, little girl; $25. Box W-199, Post-Dispatch.

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ROOM Wtd.—For housekeeping, by married couple; clean, warm and quiet; reasonable rent; near Grand, from Olive to Page preferred; call before 8 p. m. any day. Mr. Elman, Forest 6488J.

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ALCAZAR HOTEL, 3127 Locust; rooms, running water, baths; $1 day; $5 week. (c8)

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Kitchenette service if desired. Leases not required. 5630 Delmar. Cabany 6940. (c14)

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FLATS FOR RENT

CENTRAL

CARR, 2110, 5 rooms, etc.; $20.

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SOUTH

COMPTON, 1420 S.—3 rooms; $14. G. B. & J. M. O'REILLY, 723 Chestnut. (c5)

ELIZABETH, 6120—Three-room flat; $10 month. Benton 261R.

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BELT, 1473—3-room flat, bath. Inquire 921 Chestnut st. HAASE REALTY CO. (73)

CLEMENS, 5661—South front; hot-water heat; private family; employed. Cabany 3726M. (c62)

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WINDSOR PL., 3880A—Four rooms, bath, electric; rent $30; adults only.

NORTH

COLEMAN, 2424—3-room flat, modern; $30. 907 Chestnut.

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LORRAINE, 4940—4 rooms, bath and gas, $20; 4940A Lorraine, 3 rooms, bath and gas; $15. ALFRED E. LOCHMOELLER, 103 N. 8th.

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NORTH MARKET, 6104—3 rooms, bath, shades; open. Olive 2211. (c6)

ST. LOUIS, 4919A—Six-room flat; modern; open. Olive 2211. (c6)

APARTMENTS

McCAUSLAND, 1909—Five-room apartment; heat, hot water, garage; call any time. (6)

WEST

BLACKSTONE, 1482—1st floor, 4 rooms; heat and janitor service; good condition; open; $60. Eugene J. Altheimer, 817 Chestnut. (c4)

HAMILTON, 1231—Apartment, 7 rooms, sun parlor. Lindell 2506M, owner. (c1)

KENSINGTON, 5238—5-room apartment, lower, adults; heat furnished; rent $75.

LACLEDE, 4943—Second floor west. "Duplex Apartment;" 6 rooms, modern. FRANCISCUS & KUNZ R. CO., 804 Chestnut st.

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WESTGATE, 729—New apartment of four rooms, sun parlor and inclosed sleeping porch; ready to move in; will decorate to suit; open. ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN, Main 4595. 808 Chestnut. Central 209.

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1356A Shawmut pl.; 5 rooms, tile bath, steam heat furnished; $60. GIRALDIN BROS. R. E. CO., 813 Chestnut.

NEW APARTMENTS

726 Limit av., corner Clemens av.; 5 rooms and sun parlor; will decorate to suit; open for inspection. ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN, 808 Chestnut st.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

SOUTH

HEREFORD, 1127—4-room brick cottage; bath and furnace; rent $35 month; possession Dec. 15. GOLDMAN REALTY CO., 722 Chestnut st. (c5)

WISCONSIN, 3010—Frame cottage, 4 large rooms; newly painted, newly decorated; large yard, also garage if desired. JOST-MILLER R. E. CO., 105 N. 9th st.

WEST

OLIVE, 4618—Nine-room house, fine condition; references required; $85 per month. Phone owner, Lindell 4648.

NORTH

DAVISON, 4515—3-room frame; modern; $30. Colfax 1612W. Keys 4517 Claxton.

NATURAL BRIDGE, 5336—4-room cottage, bath, electric, garage; $30; open.

FURNISHED FLATS—APARTM'TS

CENTRAL

LOCUST, 2728—Two-room apartments, furnished; newly painted and decorated; hot and cold water. (89)

SOUTH

FURNISHED FLAT—Of 3 rooms, electric and gas; $20. Call between 1 and 4 p. m. 1111A Victor.

WEST

APARTMENT—3-room, 5-room efficiency; complete. Phone Cabany 574J. Box N-381, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

DELMAR BL., 4371—4-room furnished flat; gas, electric, phone, heat furnished.

DELMAR BL., 4266—3 connecting rooms and kitchenette; elegantly furnished; lease to adults; garage.

DELMAR BL., 5711A—Large room; private bath; in-a-dor bed; no kitchenette; references. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4266—Three large, elegantly furnished rooms; kitchenette; garage; lease; adults. (c8)

EVAS, 3605—Furnished flat; bachelor will share with couple.

EVANS, 4671A—5-room furnished flat, $75 per month; furnish own heat; to adults.(6)

OLIVE, 3707—Ideal furnished housekeeping apartment; 3 rooms, bath, porch, hot-water heat, gas and electric included; $18 per week. (c62)

PAGE BL., 5893—Delightfully located, completely furnished 4-room apartment; for adults. (c)

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5540 Pershing av.; 4-room furnished apartments with 6-room efficiency; electric lights, gas and ice furnished. Apply to manager on premises. (c)

East Harlan Court
5453 Delmar

Furnished and unfurnished rooms, 4 rooms, 6-room efficiency; newly decorated and painted throughout. See manager on premises or phone Forest 6742.

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NORTH

GARFIELD, 5250A—Modern 5 rooms, reception hall; hot-water heat furnished; adults.

NEWSTEAD, 4158 N.—Furnished apartment; dandy 4 rooms; hot-water heat; well furnished. (c4)

VANDEVENTER, 2518 N.—3 rooms, bath, electric; newly decorated; thoroughly clean; real home; responsible party; adequate for 4. (c)

FLATS AND AP'T'S WANTED

APARTMENT Wtd.—4 rooms, in West End, by Jan. 1, 2 adults; give price and location. Box N-95, Post-Dispatch. (c)

APARTMENT Wtd.—Couple; 3 or 4 rooms; South Side preferred; possession Dec. 15. Forest 9080, room 323, after 6 p. m. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—3-room modern; North Side preferred; 3 adults; $5 reward. 3606 Marcus. (4)

FLAT Wtd.—Couple, 3 or 4 rooms, South Side preferred; possession Dec. 15. Forest 9080, room 323, after 6 p. m. (c)

FLAT Wtd.—Family of 3 adults wish to rent 5-room upper flat, west or south; references furnished. Box N-41, Post-Dispatch. (c89)

FURNISHED FLATS & AP'T'S WTD.

APARTMENT—Nicely furnished. Phone Lindell 5431W. (4)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

ATALANTA AV. (Webster Groves)—9-room house; furnace, bath; $40. A. T. JOHNSON R. CO., Title Guar. bldg.

BUNGALOW—Will sublease 4-room modern bungalow in St. Louis County; 18 minutes' drive to Grand av.; available Dec. 15; rent $55; must purchase coal. Box N-254, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT

HOUSE—8-room furnished house for winter months only; West End; will give possession at once; no objection to children. Phone Forest 5103W. (c4)

WEST

COTTAGE—Furnished; 4 rooms; West End; adults. Box N-7, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SOUTH

HOUSE—Small, attractive, newly furnished; reasonable; suitable adults; until spring. Sidney 2327R.

FOR COLORED PEOPLE

OLIVE, 2804—Two nice rooms in rear; water; good order. (*)

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

CENTRAL

DESK ROOM—In wholesale district, at 12th and Washington. Box N-54, P.-D. (c7)

FLOOR SPACE—For lease, 5000 sq. feet; ideal place for light manufacturing or jobbing business. 1123 Washington av., 4th floor. (c1)

LOFT SPACE—For lease, beautiful loft leased before high rents went into effect; lessee finds space too small, so will sublease at low rate per square foot; fireproof building on 7th st., near Washington av.; space 2400 square feet; very desirable for light manufacturing; hot and cold water; freight and passenger elevator service. For further information apply 1110A Locust. (c92)

GARAGES AND STABLES

ARSENAL, 1945—Large enough for 4 cars; also garage for one car. JOST-MILLER R. E. CO., 105 N. 9th st.

BAYARD, 740—Brick garage; 2 cars; water, light; rooms above.

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WASHINGTON BL., 4314—Garages; light, water, granitoid floors; $8 per month. GIRALDIN BROS. R. E. CO., 813 Chestnut.

GARAGE SPACE—4 machines; will rent separate; reasonable. 12th and Pine. Main 1134. (62)

REAL ESTATE

BUILDING MATERIAL

BUILDINGS—Three, new, Government; can be re-erected quickly; cheap. Olive 6767. (c36)

SASH—New Government sash, doors, office partitions, lumber, wall board; cheap. Olive 6767. (c36)

REAL ESTATE WANTED

COTTAGE Wtd.—4 rooms, large lot; 2 blocks from Catholic school; state terms; describe fully. Box W-67, Post-Dispatch. (89)

HAVE $12,000 downtown property; want income. SAVINGS TRUST CO., 4935 Delmar.

HAVE clear East St. Louis lot and cash; want St. Louis property. SAVINGS TRUST CO., 4935 Delmar bl.

PROPERTY OWNERS, ATTENTION!
We have cash buyers for flats, apartments and dwellings. If you want results see DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 803 Chestnut st.

I WISH to purchase for home and investment a 4 or 2 family flat; will pay up to $10,000 for the 4-family and up to $5000 for the 2-family; prefer to deal direct with owner; no commission, but will deal with agent. If you wish to sell, get down to rock-bottom price, as the best offer will only be considered; give full description, price and location; your answer will be kept confidential; private party. Box N-39, Post-Dispatch. (c89)

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

FARM Wtd.—Exchange flat, 4 families; rents $3120; want good farm. REDDIN, Title Guaranty bldg.

FARM Wtd.—Exchange 12-room brick residence; large garage. REDDIN, Title Guaranty bldg.

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FARM Wtd.—Clear; will exchange a large business corner; income $5556. REDDIN, Title Guaranty bldg.

PROPERTY Wtd.—Exchange Chalmers car in A1 condition for property. 3218 N. 23d st. (c5)

YOUR PROPERTY CAN BE TRADED
For another piece that suits you better. See our Real Estate Department. SAVINGS TRUST CO., 4935 Delmar. (c58)

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Location for Filling Station and Garage

One of the best in city; s. w. part; 194x200 feet; $30; facing 3 streets; terms. KEANE & FRANKE, 1008 Chestnut st.

NORTH

LOT—I have a client who wants to sell an equity in a choice lot in the motors district for $200 if sold by Dec. 10. Box K-409, Post-Dispatch. (c92)

EXCELLENT SUBDIVISION TRACT OF FIFTY-TWO ACRES, NATURAL BRIDGE ROAD, JUST WEST OF CITY LIMITS; WILL SELL AT A LOW PRICE AND MAKE LIBERAL TERMS, OR MAY TAKE SOME OTHER PROPERTY AS PART PAYMENT; SEE US ABOUT THIS AT ONCE; BEST BUY ON NATURAL BRIDGE ROAD. FRANCISCUS & KUNZ REALTY CO., 804 CHESTNUT ST.

FARMS WANTED

FARMS—Two, good; save money; easy terms. Write owner, Benj. Owens, Doniphan, Mo. (92)

MISSOURI FARMS—Genuine bargains; all sizes; liberal terms; get my free farm list. VICTOR WM. REITZ JR., room 725, 407 N. 8th st. (89)

LAND Wtd.—To buy tracts of land up to 100 acres, St. Louis County, suitable for subdivision; state best prices and terms. Box N-380, Post-Dispatch. (c92)

FARMS FOR SALE

FARM—100 acres, for $3000; good terms; 35 miles from city; 60 acres in cultivation; this is cheap; have others. GEO. H. HEMKER REALTY CO., 810 Chestnut st., room 204.

HOMESEEKERS, send for Virginia farm list, Dept. 68, Emporia, Va. (8)

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—190 acres, 45 miles from city, on auto road; 90 acres in cultivation; 6-room frame house, spring, barn and outbuildings. See us for farms. GEO. H. HEMKER REALTY CO., 810 Chestnut st., room 204.

MERCHANDISE Wtd.—Have 1000 acres cut-over land in the Ozarks; will make good stock ranch; will exchange for merchandise or city property; price $15 per acre. JOHNSTON & JOHNSTON REALTY CO., Phone Cabany 4110. 5905 Easton. (c5)

120 ACRES OF LAND

On good road, 25 miles from the city, 1¼ miles from railroad station; covered with forest trees; fruit or week-end place; price $1350; time given. C. K. JONES, 408 Olive st.

A REAL OPPORTUNITY

Calls you to Antrim and Kalkaska counties, Michigan. Raise big crops on our hardwood lands. Close to markets, schools, railroad; only $15 to $35 per acre; easy terms. We help settlers. Write for big free booklet. SWIGART LAND CO., J1247 First National Bank Bldg., Chicago, Ill. (c100)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE

UNIVERSITY CITY

BUILDING—Frame, in University City; 4 living rooms and store; good for any business; easy payments. Frank J. Falzone & Co., 316 Central av., Clayton, Mo. (c8)

WEBSTER GROVES

BUNGALOWS.— 8 attractive bungalows; Lockwood and Sylvester avs., Webster; 5 to 7 rooms; tile and stucco construction. WEBSTER GROVES TRUST CO., Agt. (c8)

LOT—$1125; in West Webster; all improvements are made. WEBSTER GROVES TRUST CO., Agt. (c8)

TREMBLEY-WILSON R. E. & I. CO., for Webster and Kirkwood property. Get our list. (c8)

WRITE for our suburban sale list and map. WEBSTER GROVES TRUST CO., Agt. (c8)

BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES

SOUTH

COTTAGE—4155 Burgen av., nice 5-room frame; bath; fine cement cellar; 60-foot lot; leaving city; sell on easy terms; $3200. J. B. WISE, 812 Chestnut. Olive 2734.

COTTAGE—2006 Kraft, 6-room brick; perfect condition; terms, $300 cash and $30 per month; keys at office. KOTSREAN, 301, 722 Chestnut. Main 1195.

COTTAGE—1127 Hereford st.; 1 block from King's highway and Manchester; 4-room brick; bath and furnace; possession Dec. 15; can be sold at a sacrifice; owner needs money; make your inspection at once; will arrange terms. GOLDMAN REALTY CO., 722 Chestnut st. (c5)

2014 KRAFT.
$300 CASH AND $30 PER MONTH.
Very fine 5-room brick cottage, every convenience; perfect condition; vacant; keys at office; Manchester car. KOTSREAN, 301, 722 Chestnut. Main 1195.

BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES

SOUTH

PRETTY 4-ROOM BRICK COTTAGE
4810 Allemania st., nearly new brick bungalow; bath, electric, furnace; one block to Cherokee car; leaving city; sell furniture and coal; easy terms. J. B. WISE, 812 Chestnut, Olive 2734.

NEW BUNGALOWS

Five rooms, including sleeping porch, hardwood floors, tiled bath; lot 39x133; easy terms; with small cash payment; will be ready first part of December, so you can be in your own home by Christmas. See 1127 Blendon pl., and then see JULIUS HALLER R. CO., 18 N. 8th st.

SOUTHAMPTON BUNGALOW

5033 Nottingham av., 5 rooms and reception hall, bath, slate roof, modern throughout; furnace, garage, etc.; only few years old. FRANCISCUS & KUNZ REALTY CO., 804 Chestnut st.

NEW BUNGALOWS Opposite Forest Park

1014-16-20 Louisville av., restricted bungalow street, immediately south of Forest Park; 6 rooms and tiled bath each, with vapor heating plant; each lot 32'6"x127; price $9500; open Sundays, 2 to 5 p. m. HEMMELMANN-SPACKLER R. E. CO., Seventh and Chestnut.

WEST

New Bungalows

5804 Pershing av.; steam heat, built-in porch, bathtub, pedestal washstand, sleeping porch; overlooking Forest Park, corner Pershing and Laurel. Open today.

WALTER JONES, Builder, 618 Chestnut St.

Phones: Olive 7654 or Central 4564. (c4)

NORTH

COTTAGE—Fine; like new, and vacant. 3333 Williams pl. (89)

COTTAGE—3037 Magazine; 5-room frame cottage; price $800; easy terms. GEO. F. BASHFORD, 715 Chestnut st. (c4)

NEW BUNGALOWS

5501-03 Beacon av.; 5 rooms; all modern; will be finished in 10 days; open every day; will make terms; take Bellefontaine car north, get off at Beacon, walk 1 block south. Phone Forest 3003R. (c89)

FLATS, APARTMENTS, FOR SALE

Four-Family Flats

4207-09 Fair av.; 3 rooms each; rents $80; price $6250.
2701-03 Hickory; 4 and 5 rooms; rents $1260.
3022-24 Bell; 3 and 4 rooms; rents $924; price $6500.
4211 Juniata; 4 and 5 rooms; central heating plant; price $18,000.
2820-30 Lemp; 3 and 3 rooms; rents $720; price $5500.
2705-07 Hickory; 3 and 3 rooms; rents $768; price $5000.
4541-43 Swan; 3 and 3 rooms; price $6500.
2702-04 Hickory; 3 and 3 rooms; price $4500.
5574-76 Vernon; 5 and 6 rooms; rents $1980; price $12,500.
Terms on any of above.
Card of admission and full particulars, see JULIUS HALLER R. CO., 18 N. 8th st.

SOUTH

DOUBLE FLAT BARGAIN—RENT, $1608 YEAR; PRICE, $10,500.
40xx McRee av.; has tile bath, furnace, etc. DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 803 Chestnut

FLAT, 4291 BLAINE, $4500

Nice 3 and 3 rooms, modern; liberal terms. N. M. GLICK, Successor to GLICK & JONES, 824 Chestnut st. (c4)

FLAT—3305 Magnolia av., 4 and 5 rooms, bath and electric; furnace; garage; easy terms; a bargain. McCRADY & OBERMEYER, Forest 3196, Delmar 566L.

DOUBLE FLAT BARGAIN.
40xx Shaw av.; has sun parlors, tile bath, hardwood floors, Murphy bed, furnaces; four garages; rent $214 month; price $15,500; act quick if you want this bargain. DOUGHERTY R. E. CO., 803 Chestnut st.

SINGLE FLAT, 4 ROOMS

3939 Gravois av; 4 and 4 rooms, bath, furnace, electric; price $5800; terms. E. A. BOKERN, 317 Fullerton Bldg.

Immediate Offer Wanted.

5421-23 Southwest av.; 2 stores, 2 5-room flats with bath above; good building; total rents $1356 per year; leases; asking only $10,000; owner must sell. KOLLAS R. E. CO., 1138 Chestnut st.

DOUBLE FLAT SHAW'S ADDITION

4064-66 Lafayette av.; nice double flat; 3 rooms and kitchenette; also garage for 2 machines; rent $195 per month; price $14,500; will make terms. ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN, 808 Chestnut st.

WEST

6113 PERSHING AV.—5 AND 6 ROOMS HOT-WATER HEAT—MODERN—TERMS
Elegant 5 and 6 room flat; hardwood floors, tile bath, every modern convenience. F. J. CORNWELL R. E. CO., 810 Chestnut.

NOW VACANT.
Dandy 5 and 6 room flat; low price; easy terms.
4353-55 Forest Park bl.
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CHEAP SINGLE FLAT, $3500
723 S. Boyle av., 3 large rooms each floor; 2 blocks to Market car; owner, first floor; easy terms; small cash payment. J. B. WISE, 812 Chestnut st. Central 6331.

MAKE YOUR OWN TERMS

1334 Semple av.; good 5-6 room single flat, with furnaces, good condition; newly decorated; terms; price low. V. L. RICHARDSON, 390 Arcade Bldg. (c5)

North Parkview Apartment Snap

6415 Enright; 6-family; unusual lot; new buildings. Call on us for details. N. M. GLICK, Successor to GLICK & JONES, 824 Chestnut. (c4)

WEST END SINGLE, FIVE AND SIX 6113 PERSHING AV. Bargain—Terms.
Elegantly arranged and constructed; hardwood floors, tile bath, separate hot water heat; owner, first floor, or F. J. CORNWELL R. E. CO., 810 Chestnut.

Steam-Heated Double—Sacrifice

4-family 5 and 6; separate steam heat; good West End location; stone sills and porches, back and front; exceptionally well built; income $2040; bargain at $15,000; terms. N. M. GLICK, Successor to GLICK & JONES, 824 Chestnut st. (c4)

NORTH

FLAT—Four-family brick; and garage; in good condition; 55-foot front; ideal home and splendid investment; will sacrifice. Box K-118, Post-Dispatch. (c92)

FLAT—3813 Kennerly av., 4 and 5 rooms; newly decorated; furnace and electric; $5500. McCRADY & OBERMEYER, Forest 3196, Delmar 566L.

FLAT—52xx Northland; single; 4 and 5 rooms, hardwood floors, furnace heat, tile bath, garage for 2 machines; a bargain. McCRADY & OBERMEYER. Forest 3196. Delmar 566L.

Flat, 5826 Cote Brilliante, $6500

4 and 7 rooms; splendid condition; terms. 50 feet front. N. M. GLICK, Successor to GLICK & JONES, 824 Chestnut. (c4)

NICE SINGLE FLAT

4848 Branconnier pl., north of Easton av. and east of King's highway; nice single flat of 4 and 5 rooms, bath, steam heat, electric lights; will make terms. ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN, 808 Chestnut st.

RESIDENCES FOR SALE

RESIDENCE—6 rooms, bath, furnace, electric; $4000; northwest. Box N-398, P.-D. (5)

HOMES ON LIBERAL TERMS.
3820 Shaw, 9 rooms, tile bath, etc.
2541 W. Sullivan, 5-room brick, elec.
4562 Maffitt, 3-room brick, elec., furnace.
2014 Kraft, 5-room brick, elec., bath.
3013 Carolina, 5-room brick, elec., bath.
2715 Howard, 6-room brick, elec., bath.
2621 N. 10th, 7-room brick, elec., bath.
3305 Magnolia, 5-room single flat.
2517 Fall, 4-room brick.
4172 Folsom, 5 rooms, bath, elec. fur.
5502 Michigan, 5 rooms, bath, elec.
6171 McPherson, 9 rooms, bath, elec., hot-water heat.
5980-86 Garfield; double, 5-room.
1370-72 Clara, double 5-room.
2921 Thomas, 3 and 3 rooms.
KOTSREAN, 301, 722 Chestnut. Main 1195.

SOUTH

HOME—Here is a real bargain in Tower Grove Heights for $7000; 7 fine rooms, tile bath, marble sink, furnace; 33-ft. lot. We can make you easy terms. See 3850 Connecticut st. Apply JOSEPH F. DICKMANN R. E. CO., 3114 S. Grand. Sidney 53, Victor 38. (c)

4310 LAFAYETTE AVE.

Six rooms, hardwood floors, hot-water heat, screens, water heater, sleeping porch; built only 5 months; owner leaving city. For price and terms see W. T. PAUSCH, Wainwright Bldg., or 4119 Shenandoah av. (c4)

RESIDENCES FOR SALE

SOUTH

4339 McREE AVE.—$4500

Nine-room house; furnace, bath; close to Shaw's Garden. Olive 4261. D. B. BRENNAN, 320 Wainwright Bldg. (c4)

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THE second and concluding installment of this story will be printed in tomorrow's Post-Dispatch

THEY had always had two morning papers—he his, she hers. The Times. Both. Nothing could illustrate more clearly the plan on which Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Buck conducted their married life. Theirs was the morning calm and harmony which comes to two people who are free to digest breakfast and the first page simultaneously, with no "Just let me see the inside sheet, will you, dear?" to mar the day's beginning.

In the days when she had been Mrs. Emma McChesney, traveling saleswoman for the T. A. Buck Featherloom Petticoat Co., New York, her perusal of the morning's news had been, perforce, a hasty process. There was no need now of haste, but the habit of years still clung. From 8:30 to 8:35 a. m. Emma McChesney Buck was always in partial eclipse behind the billowing pages of her newspaper. Only the tip of her topmost coil of bright hair was visible. She read swiftly, darting from war news to health hints, from stock market to sport page, and finding something of interest in each. For her there was nothing cryptic in a headline such as "Rudie Slams One Home;" and Do pfd followed by dotted lines and vulgar fractions were to her as easily translated as the Daily Hint From Paris. Hers was the photographic eye and the alert brain that can film a column or a page at a glance.

Across the table her husband sat turned slightly sidewise in his chair, his paper folded in a tidy oblong. He read down one column, top of the next and down that, seriously and methodically, giving to toast or coffee cup the single-handed and groping attention of one whose interest is elsewhere. The light from the big bay window fell on the printed page and cameoed his profile. After three years of daily contact with it, Emma still caught herself occasionally gazing with appreciation at that clear-cut profile and the clean, shining line of his hair as it grew away from the temple.

Usually their conversation was comfortably monosyllabic and disjointed, as is the breakfast talk of two people who understand each other. Amicable silence was the rule, broken only by the rustle of paper, the clink of china, an occasional "Toast, dear?" And when Buck, in a low, vibrating tone (slightly muffled by buttered corn muffin) said, "Dogs!" Emma knew he was pursuing the daily schercklichkeit.

Upon this cozy scene conservation cast his gaunt shadow. It was in June, the year of America's great step, that Emma, examining her household, pronounced it fattily degenerate, with complications, and performed upon it a severe and skillful operation. Among the rest:

"One morning paper ought to be enough for any husband and wife who aren't living on a Boffin basis. There'll be one copy of the Times delivered at this house in the future, Mr. Buck. We might match pennies for it, mornings."

It lay there on the hall table that first morning, an innocent oblong, its headlines staring up at them with inky eyes.

"Paper, T. A.," she said, and handed it to him.

"You take it, dear."

"Oh, no! No."

She poured the coffee, trying to keep her gaze away from the tantalizing tail-end of the headline at whose first half she could only guess.

"By Jove, Emma! Listen to this! Pershing says if we have one m"——

"Stop right there! We've become pretty well acquainted in the last three years, T. A. But if you haven't learned that if there's one thing I can't endure, it's being fed across the table with scraps of the day's news, I shall have to consider our marriage a failure."

"Oh, very well. I merely thought you'd be"——

"I am. But there's something about having it read to you"——

On the second morning, Emma, hurriedly fastening the middle button of her blouse on her way downstairs, collided with her husband, who was shrugging himself into his coat. They continued their way downstairs with considerable dignity and pronounced leisure. The paper lay on the hall table. They reached for it. There was a moment—just the fraction of a minute—when each clutched a corner of it, eyeing the other grimly. They both let go suddenly, as though the paper had burned their fingers. They stared at each other, surprise and horror in their gaze. The paper fell to the floor with a little slap. Both stooped for it, apologetically. Their heads bumped. They staggered back, semi-stunned.

Emma found herself laughing rather wildly. Buck joined in after a moment—a rueful laugh. She was the first to recover.

"That settles it. I'm willing to eat trick bread and whale meat and drink sugarless coffee, but I draw the line at hating my husband for the price of a newspaper subscription. White paper may be scarce, but so are husbands."

They were only two among many millions who, at that time, were playing an amusing and fashionable game called win the war. They did not realize that the game was to develop into a grim and magnificently functioning business to whose demands they would cheerfully sacrifice all that they most treasured.

Of late, Emma had spent less and less time in the offices of the Featherloom company. For more than 10 years that flourishing business, and the career of her son, Jock McChesney, had been the twin orbits about which her existence had revolved. But Jock McChesney was a man of family now, with a wife, two babies and an uncanny advertising sense that threatened to put his name on the letterhead of the Raynor Advertising Co. of Chicago. As for the Featherloom factory—it seemed to go of its own momentum. After her marriage to the firm's head, Emma's interest in the business was unflagging.

"Now, look here, Emma," Buck would say. "You've given enough to this firm. Play a while. Cut up. Forget you're the 'And Company' in T. A. Buck & Co."

"But I'm so used to it. I'd miss it so. You know what happened that first year of our marriage when I tried to do the Duchess. I don't know how to loll. If you take the Featherlooms away from me I'll degenerate into a Madam Chairman. You'll see."

She might have, too, if the war had not come along and saved her.

By midsummer the workrooms were turning out strange garments, such as gray and khaki flannel shirts, flannelette one-piece pajamas, and woolen bloomers, all intended for the needs of women war workers going abroad.

Emma had dropped into the workroom one day and had picked up a half-finished gray flannel garment. She eyed it critically, her deft fingers manipulating the neckband. A little frown gathered between her eyes.

"Somehow a woman in a flannel shirt always looks as if she had quinsy. It's the collar. They cut them like a man's small size. But a woman's neck is as different from a man's as her collar bone is."

She picked up a piece of flannel and smoothed it on the cutting table. The head designer had looked on in disapproval while her employer's wife had experimented with scraps of cloth, and pins, and chalk, and scissors. But Emma had gone on serenely cutting and snipping and pinning. They made up samples of service shirts with the new neck-hugging collar and submitted them to Miss Nevins, the head of the woman's uniform department at Fyfe & Gordon's. That astute lady had been obliged to listen to scores of canteeners, nurses, secretaries and motor leaguers, who, standing before a long mirror in one of the many fitting rooms, had gazed, frowned, fumbled at collar and topmost button, and said: "But it looks so—so lumpy around the neck."

Miss Kate Nevin's reply to this plaint was: "Oh, when you get your tie on"——

"Perhaps they'll let me wear a turn-down collar."

"Absolutely against regulation. The rules strictly forbid anything but the high, close-fitting collar."

The fair war worker would sigh, mutter something about supposing they'd shoot you at sunrise for wearing a becoming shirt, and order six, grumbling.

By autumn Emma was wearing one of those Featherloom service shirts herself. She bore the title of commandant, with feminine captains, lieutenants and girl workers under her; and her blue uniform, as she herself put it, was so a-jingle with straps, buckles, belts, bars and bolts that when she first put it on she felt like a jail.

She left the house at 8 in the morning now. Dinner time rarely found her back in Sixty-third street. Buck was devoting four evenings a week to the Draft Board. At the time of the second Liberty Loan drive in the autumn he had deserted the Featherlooms for bonds.

One afternoon at 5:30, Emma, on duty bound, espied him walking home up Fifth avenue, on the opposite side of the street. She felt a little pang as she watched the easy, graceful figure swinging its way up the brilliant flag-decked avenue. She turned abrutly and crossed the street, dodging the late afternoon traffic with a sort of expert recklessness. She almost ran after the tall figure that was now a block ahead of her, and walking fast. She caught up with him, matched his stride, and touched his arm lightly.

"I beg your pardon, but aren't you Mr. T. A. Buck?"

"Yes."

"How do you do! I'm Mrs. Buck."

Then they had giggled together, deliciously, and he had put a firm hand on the smartly tailored blue serge sleeve.

"I thought so. That being the case, you're coming home along o' me, young 'ooman."

"Can't do it. I'm on my way to the Ritz to meet a dashing delegation from Serbia. You never saw such gorgeous creatures. All gold and green and red, with swords, and snake-work, and glittering boots. They'd make a musical-comedy soldier look like an undertaker."

There came a queer little look into his eyes. "But this isn't a musical comedy, dear. These men are—Look here, Emma. I want to talk to you. Let's walk home together and have dinner decently in our own dining room. There are things at the office."

"S'impossible, Mr. Buck. I'm late now. You know perfectly well there are two vice commandants ready to snatch my shoulderstraps."

"Emma! Emma!"

At his tone the smiling animation of her face was dimmed. "What's gone wrong?"

"Nothing. Everything. At least, nothing that I can discuss with you at the corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street. When does this Serbian thing end? I'll call for you."

"There's no telling. Anyway, the Fannings will drive me home, thanks, dear."

He looked down at her. She was unbelievably girlish and distingue in the blue uniform; a straight, slim figure, topped by an impudent coked hat. The flannel shirt of workday service was replaced today by a severely smart affair of white silk, silk-collared, stitched, expensively simple. And yet he frowned as he looked.

"Fisk got his exemption papers today." With apparent irrelevance.

"Yes?" She was glancing sharply up and down the thronged street. "Better call me a cab, dear. I'm awfully late. Oh, well, with his wife practically an invalid, and all the expense of the baby's illness, and the funeral—— The Ritz, dear. And tell him to hurry." She stepped into the cab, a little nervous frown between her eyes.

But Buck, standing at the curb, seemed bent on delaying her. "Fisk told me the doctor said all she needs is a couple of months at a sanitarium, where she can be bathed and massaged and fed with milk. And if Fisk could go to a camp now he could have a commission in no time. He's had training, you know. He spent his vacation last summer at Plattsburg."

"But he's due on his advance spring trip in two or three weeks, isn't he? . . . I really must hurry, T. A."

"Ritz," said Buck, shortly, to the chauffeur. "And hurry." He turned away abruptly, without a backward glance.

Next morning's breakfast turned out to be all Jock.

A letter from Grace, his wife. Grace McChesney had been Grace Galt, one of the youngest and cleverest women advertising writers in the profession. When Jock was a cub in the Raynor office she had been turning out compelling copy. They had been married four years. Now Jock ruled a mahogany domain of his own in the Raynor suite overlooking the lake in the great Michigan avenue building. And Grace was saying, "Eat the crust, girlie. It's the crust that makes your hair grow curly."

Emma, uniformed for work, read hasty extracts from Grace's letter. Buck listened in silence.

"You wouldn't know Jock. He's restless, irritable, moody. He wants to get into it. And he ought. But you know I haven't been really husky since Buddy came. Not ill, but the doctor says it will be another six months before I'm myself, really. If I had only myself to think of—how simple! But two kiddies need such a lot of things. I could get a job at Raynor's. They need writers. Jock says, bitterly, that all the worthwhile men have left. Don't think I'm complaining. I'm just trying to see my way clear, and talking to someone who understands, often clears the way."

"Well!" said Emma.

And, "Well?" said T. A.

She sat fingering the letter, her breakfast cooling before her. "Of course, Jock wants to get into it. I wish he could. I'd be so proud of him. He'd be beautiful in khaki. But there's work to do right here. And he ought to be willing to wait six months."

"They can't wait six months over there, Emma. They need him now."

"Oh, come, T. A.! One man"——

"Multiplied by a million. Look at Fisk. Just such another case. Look at"——

The shrill summons of the telephone cut him short. Emma's head came up alertly. She glanced at her wrist watch and gave a little exclamation of horror.

"That's for me! I'm half an hour late! The first time, too." She was at the telephone a second later, explanatory, apologetic. Then back in the dining room doorway, her cheeks flushed, tugging at her gloves, poised for flight. "Listen, dear—I'll call for you at the office tonight at 5, and we'll walk home together. Wait for me. I may be a few minutes late"——

She was off. The front door slammed sharply.

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At 5 o'clock Emma left the war to its own devices and dropped in at the loft building in which Featherlooms were born and grew up. Mike, the elevator man, twisted his gray head about at an unbelievable length to gaze appreciatively at the trim, uniformed figure.

"Haven't seen you around fur many the day, Mis' Buck."

"Been too busy, Mike."

Mike turned back to face the door. "Well, 'tis a great responsibility, runnin' this war an' all." He stopped at the Featherloom floor and opened the door with his grandest flourish. Emma glanced at him quickly. His face was impassive. She passed into the reception room with a little jingling of buckles and strap hooks.

The work day was almost ended. The display room was empty of buyers. She could see the back of her husband's head in his office. He was busy at his desk.

A stock girl was clearing away the piles of garments that littered tables and chairs. At the window near the door Fisk, the Western territory man, stood talking with O'Brien, city salesman. The two looked around at her approach. O'Brien's face lighted up with admiration. Into Fisk's face there flashed a look so nearly resembling resentment that Emma, curious to know its origin, stopped to chat a moment with the two.

Said O'Brien, the gallant Irishman: "I'm more resigned to war this minute, Mrs. Buck, than I've been since it began."

Emma dimpled, turned to Fisk, stood at attention. Fisk said nothing. His face was unsmiling. "Like my uniform?" Emma asked; and wished, somehow, that she hadn't.

Fisk stared. His eyes had none of the softness of admiration. They were hard, resentful. Suddenly: "Like it! God! I wish I could wear one!" He turned away, abruptly. O'Brien threw him a sharp look. Then he cleared his throat apologetically.

Emma glanced down at her own trim self—at her stitched seams, her tailored lengths, her shining belt and buckles, her gloved hands—and suddenly and unaccountably her pride in them vanished. Something—something——

She wheeled and made for Buck's office, her color high. He looked up, rose, offered her a chair. She felt strangely ill at ease there in the office to which she had given years of her service. The bookkeeper in the glass-inclosed cubbyhole across the little hall smiled and nodded and called through the open door: "My, you're a stranger, Mrs. Buck."

Out in the showroom she saw Fisk standing before a long table. He was ticketing and folding samples of petticoats, pajamas, blouses and nightgowns. His cigar was gripped savagely between his teeth and his eyes squinted, half-closed, through the smoke.

To Be Concluded Tomorrow.

THE LESSER EVIL

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He: I was afraid you didn't like my dancing.
"Oh, I would much rather dance with you myself than have you bump into me all the evening."

BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

Farmer Brown's Boy Guesses What Is Wrong.

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

SOMETHING was wrong with Rusty the Fox Squirrel. Farmer Brown's boy knew it the instant he discovered that Rusty had no appetite for his breakfast. It was a good breakfast, a fine breakfast, but Rusty hardly touched it, which was very unusual for him.

"What is the matter with you?" asked Farmer Brown's boy. Of course Rusty didn't reply. He didn't reply because he didn't understand what Farmer Brown's boy said. Instead he climbed up on Farmer Brown's boy's hand, a thing he had never done before. Then Farmer Brown's boy noticed that Rusty was trembling.

He was puzzled. It was clear to him that Rusty was afraid of something but that he wasn't afraid of him. He took Rusty out of the cage. It was the first time, and he half expected to see Rusty leap away. But Rusty didn't. Instead he ran up Farmer Brown's boy's arm to his shoulder and sat there, still trembling. Farmer Brown's boy gently put him down on the floor and stepped back.

Rusty hesitated. Then what do you think he did? He climbed back into that wire cage. Yes, sir, that is just what he did. He climbed back into that wire prison and crouched in the darkest corner of it. Farmer Brown's boy scratched his head in a puzzled way. He was puzzled. He couldn't understand Rusty going back into that cage of his own accord. "Something is the matter with him," muttered Farmer Brown's boy. "He acts afraid of something, but there isn't a thing here for him to be afraid of." Then a thought popped into his head. "I wonder," said he, "if Rusty had a fright in the night. Perhaps Black Pussy the Cat got in here and tried to get at him. Yet I am sure I shut Black Pussy up last night. I don't see how it could have been her, but it is a sure thing that something gave him a big fright."

Farmer Brown's boy closed the little door of the cage and went about his morning work, and all the time he kept puzzling over Rusty's behavior. By and by, as he was getting some meal from a bin, he noticed something on the floor in a corner. He went over to it and found the body of a gray old Rat.

"This is queer," muttered Farmer Brown's boy. "Now what could have happened to him?"

He turnd the Rat over with his toe and bent to look closer. Then his face lighted. "Shadow the Weasel has been here!" he exclaimed. "There isn't the least doubt about it. He killed this pest, and I hope he has killed all the rest of the Rats about here. Now I know what ails Rusty. Shadow must have discovered him in that cage and tried to get in. No wonder he is frightened. But the little rascal knows when he is well off. He knows that Shadow can't get into that cage and that is why he went back into it. He knows he isn't safe outside with Shadow the Weasel about, and that he is safe inside. Poor little chap, he must have had a dreadful scare. I'll have to see to it he doesn't have another. Shadow probably will stay around here until he has driven out all those pesky Rats. I hope he will. But I can't have him frightening Rusty to death."

So when he had finished his work Farmer Brown's boy took Rusty's cage over to the house, where there was no chance for Shadow the Weasel to frighten him again, and that night Rusty slept well.

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Maxims of a Modern Maid

By Marguerite Mooers Marshall

IN the moving picture that is life the plots are usually tawdry, the close-ups disillusionizing, and the dialogue in bad grammar.

Love's dog in the manger is the man or woman who insists on a legal separation from his or her mate but won't hear of a divorce.

The sort of man who makes a business of "understanding" women is the sort whom they never understand—which is lucky for him.

If a woman has curly hair, round pink cheeks and a cupid's-bow mouth she can tell safely the most damaging truths about herself, for every listening man will believe what she looks and not what she says.

No man ever makes up his mind to get married, but he frequently has it made up for him.

When a husband and wife begin to exchange Christmas presents for the house, instead of for each other, then, as Fannie Hurst would say, the dew is off the rose of romance.

Even a convinced feminist is disgusted, rather than proud, when she finds she can walk further and more swiftly, bathe in colder water and enjoy more fresh air than the man to whom she is married.

It's a wise woman who discounts compliments on her charms, but the woman doesn't exist who takes at less than face value compliments on her defects.

RAISIN CAKE

CREAM one cupful sugar, pinch of salt and two tablespoonfuls of lard and butter mixed, add two eggs well-beaten and beat mixture until light. Add one and one-half cupfuls milk, two cupfuls flour and two level teaspoonfuls baking powder. Stir in one cupful seeded, chopped raisins and flavor with vanilla. Bake in muffin pans in quick oven.

SINGLE TRACK MINDS

By Sophie Irene Loeb

A PROMINENT business man makes the following observation:

"There seems to be a new fad among b 'ness people—a new excuse for putting you off. It is the 'single-track mind' idea.

"The other day I was talking to a man about a proposition that I had up with him several times. Finally, in order to get rid of me he said:

"'You see, it's like this: I have a single track mind. I have been very busy with other important matters and I haven't been able to give your scheme any consideration whatever. I know only how to complete one job at a time.'

"Now this sounds reasonable," said the business man. "But when I learned that he used the same excuse to a number of other people, I came to the conclusion that he had the habit, and I paid no more attention to him.

"Soon he found I wasn't coming any more, and as I knew he would want my proposition, he called me up and asked me why I hadn't been in to see him.

"I answered, 'Well, I was just waiting till your mind got off the single track, or, at least, on a side track, to give me your attention. I don't know whether I can give you the same terms that I had originally planned to give you, but I'll talk it over.'

"The result of the whole thing, however, was this, he had to pay almost double for the thing he wanted because of running on a 'single-track' schedule.

"At any rate, he no longer puts me off on that excuse."

The successful man cannot have a "single-track" mind and be successful.

The man with a single-track mind is he who only does one thing and is largely a routine worker. The single-track mind is even dangerous for such a one. He gets into a groove and when he is confronted with something unfamiliar to him, he is dazed, bewildered and not equal to it.

You have only to look over the history of the big men who did big things, and the ones who did one thing well, usually excelled in others when they put their minds to work on it.

The reason of this is that they use the same energy, the same interest, the same enthusiasm, in one project as in another. Is the President of a large concern do with a "single-track" mind? Or a General in any battle? The battle in life has many varied tracks in which to run, and you must be able to see more than one track.

As Prices Come Down Piggly Wiggly Customers Are First to Get the Benefit

The goods and prices are before you in a PIGGLY WIGGLY Store. You make your own selections free from suggestion, persuasion or interruption.

Libby's Extra Sliced Pineapple, 2s.....32c
Libby's Extra Sliced Pineapple, 2½s.....38c
Hillsdale Broken Sliced Pineapple, 2s.....28c
Del Monte Grated Pineapple, 1s.....19c
Del Monte Yellow Cling Peaches, 2½s.....40c
Canesha Sliced Peaches, 1s.....23c
California Growers' Peaches 2½s.....30c
Clark's Pickled Peaches, 2½s.....49c
Curfew Standard Apricots, 1s.....17c
California Growers' Peaches, 2½s.....30c
California Growers' Extra Apricots, 2½s.....40c
Clark's Pickled Pears, 2½s.....51c
Supreme Red Pitted Cherries, 2s.....41c
Trysum Strawberries, 1s 25c
Clyde Pearl Blackberries, Syrup, 2s.....32c
Value Tomatoes, 1s.....5c
Asquith Tomatoes, 2s...7c
El Cano Tomatoes, 2½s 8½c
Government Tomatoes, 3s.9c
Peasant Shoe Peg Corn, 2s.....20c
Union League Corn, 2s.15c
Cedar City Corn, 2s.....9c
Montrose Corn, 2s.....17c
Montrose Corn, 1s.....12c
Little Nemo Fancy Sifted Peas, 1s.....12½c
De Luxe Sifted Peas, 2s 18c
Union League Tiny Sifted Peas, 2s.....24c
Joan of Arc Kidney Beans, 2s.....12c
Darling Fresh Green Lima Beans, 1s.....21c
Darling Fresh Green Lima Beans, 2s.....29c
Libby's Small Green Asparagus Tips, 1s.....39c
Libby's Medium White Asparagus Tips, 1s.....41c
Pride of Adirondack Cane & Maple Syrup, gal., $2.88
Pride of Adirondack Cane & Maple Syrup, qts..80c
Pride of Adirondack Cane & Maple Syrup, pts..46c
Pride of Adirondack Pure Maple Syrup, qts....97c
Blue Brer Rabbit Syrup, 1½-lb.....18c
Karo Syrup, 1½-lb..11½c
Jolly Boy Salmon, ½s...8c
AA Pink Salmon, 1s...15c
Lenox Soap.....3½c
Crisco, 1-lb.....24c
Crisco, 3-lb.....72c
Crisco, 6-lb.....$1.40

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MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.

THE GOLFER'S DEFIANCE.

I have no quarrel with reform;
I know that it would ill behoove me
To gnash my teeth and rage and storm
At others' efforts to improve me.
When Mr. Volstead's law forebade
A further alcoholic diet,
I saved what little stuff I had
And only drank it on the quiet.

I'll not indulge in language blue
Or waste my time in futile croaking,
When in another year or two
I'm ordered to forego my smoking.
I'd not make trouble if I could
Because, as the reformers view it,
They pass these measures for my good
And, anyway, they're going to do it.

But if they take my golf away,
A pleasure I enjoy but one day,
(Because I have no time to play
Around the course except on Sunday)
Although I'm not a man to let
A casual vexation try me,
I'm going to try my darndest yet
To lay those smug old birds a stymie.

I don't need booze; I don't need smokes;
And though I rather hate to lose 'em,
I'll give 'em up, if better folks
Than I declare I mustn't use 'em.
I've been an easy man to drive—
Resembling much dumb driven cattle—
But just as long as I'm alive
I'll not quit golf without a battle.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

Demand for some things must be blackening. Nowadays automobile salesmen almost smile at you when you go into one of their stores.

HERE TO STAY.

The Volstead law will never be repealed. The bootleggers' lobby is already strong enough to prevent any such thing.

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Now and Then.

The wives of two factory workers were discussing the effect of prohibition on their husbands.

"When John comes home on Saturday noons nowadays with his pay envelope and turns it over to me," said one, "I deals him out 50 cents for spendin' money and he spends it on himself."

"And what did he do in the old days?"

"In them terrible days," said the first, "when John turned over to me his pay envelope on Saturday noons I used to give him 50 cents for a little spendin' money for himself, and soon he'd be back with a can of beer for the two of us, bless his heart."—Houston Post.

Expert at It.

"Jim married a masseuse, didn't he?"

"Yes, and she certainly rubs it into him."—Boston Transcript.

What Made the Waves Wild.

They were at the seaside with the well-known moon overhead, says the American Legion Weekly. She was cuddled in his arms and for hours they had been murmuring sweet nothings. Finally she said the word that made him the happiest man in the world. The moment of sweet sorrow of parting came and, after a long caress, he tore himself away.

But just as he disappeared, the look on her face changed from joy to consternation, and a sob rose in her throat.

"Great heavens!" she wailed, "I clean forgot to get that fellow's name.—New Orleans Item.

Paradoxical Training.

"I notice Jones, no matter in what society he is, never appears the least bit bored."

"That's because he's been so well drilled."—Baltimore American.

ON THE LEVEL, WOULDN'T JEFF MAKE A PUNK POLITICIAN?—By BUD FISHER

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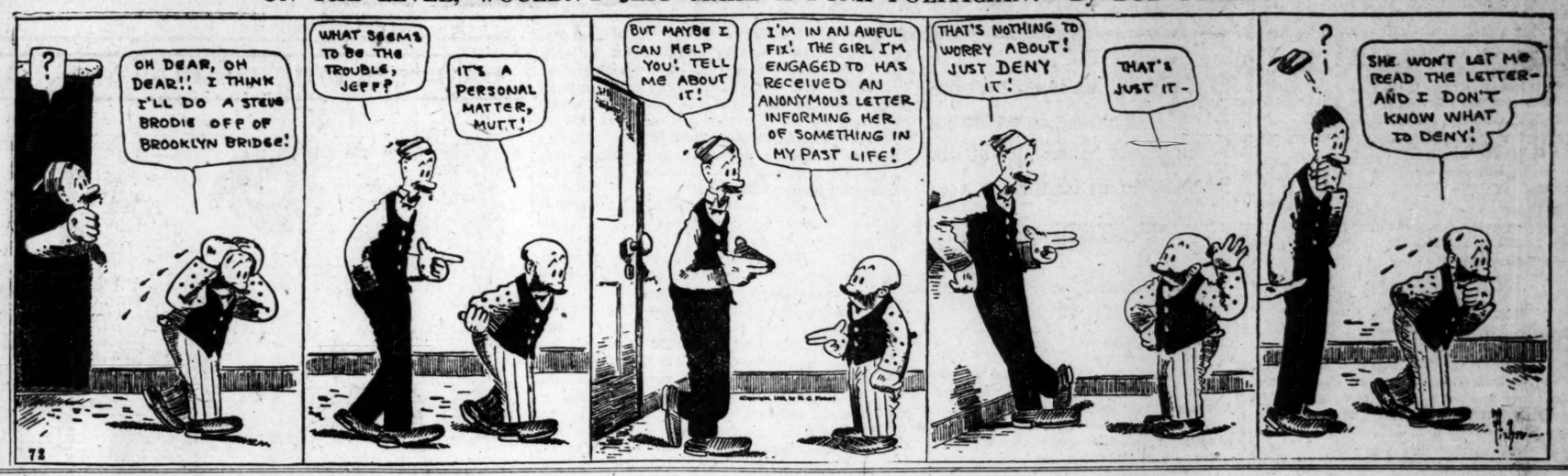

BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING—By RUBE GOLDBERG

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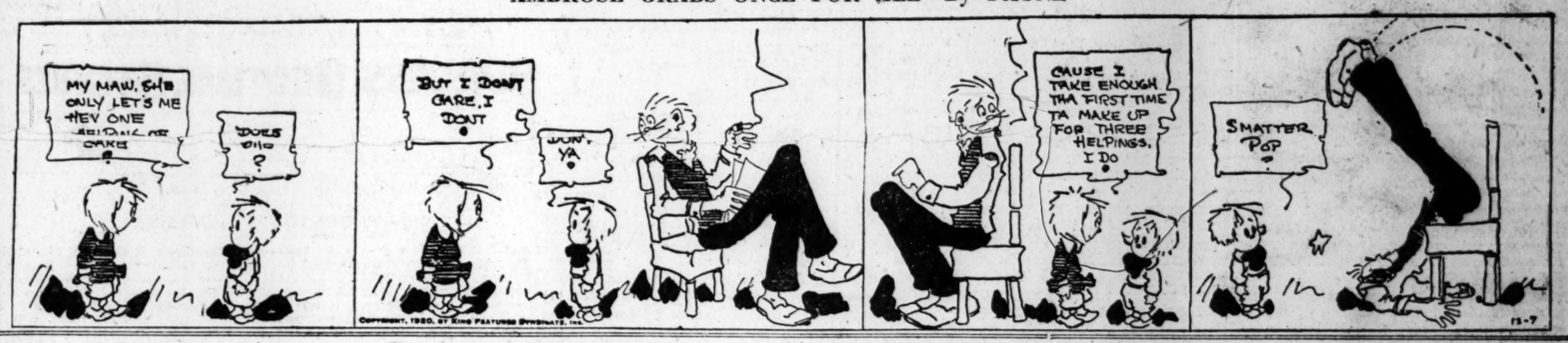

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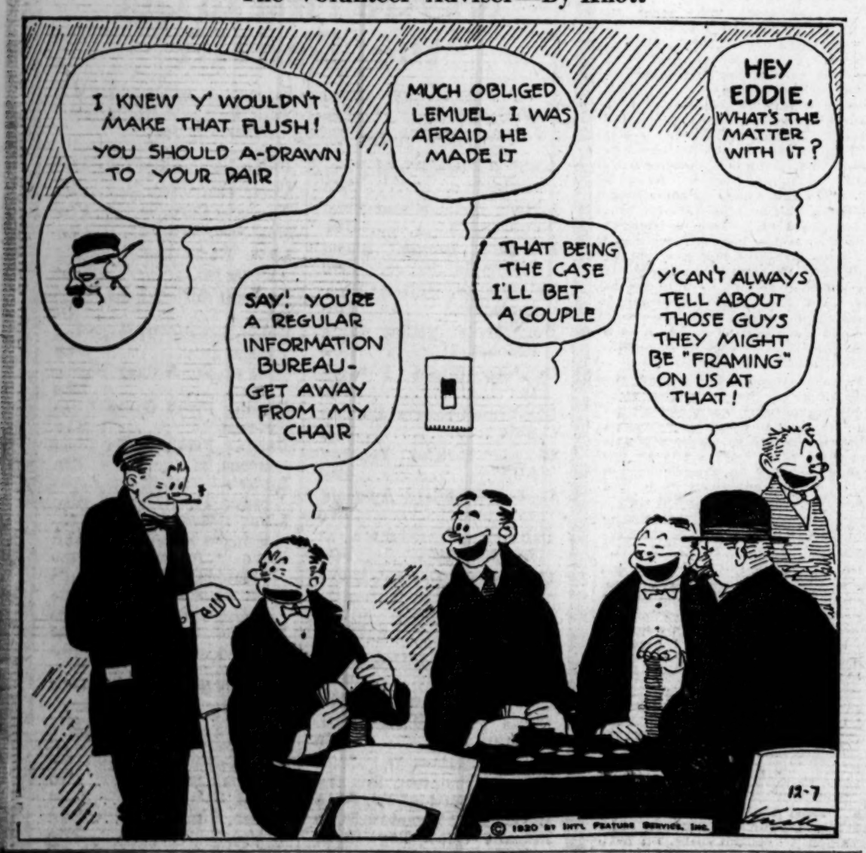

"Deep Calleth Unto Deep."

The following conversation was recently heard in a day coach passing through the West Virginia mountains:

"My, ain't them mountains high?" marveled one woman passenger.

Her friend stooped low at the window to see the summits of the lofty hills, and wisely remarked:

"Only th' tops of 'em is."—Life.

Then It Happened.

"I was wondering," mused the Cheerful Idiot.

"Wondering what?" demanded the Wise Guy.

"Why, I was wondering if, when a man is settling a plumber's bill, you could say he is paying the piper," replied the Cheerful Idiot.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Heading It Off.

The Reporter: I have an interview with the Senator's old schoolma'am, telling what a model boy he was in school.

The Editor: Kill it. Don't you know how the model boys are hated by the rest of 'em? Want to start a league of old average boys to fight him, huh?—Detroit News.

Let the Wedding Bells Ring Out

Going Out, Anyhow.

"Why, my dear," said Mr. De Style, "I'm glad to see you so composed. When I left this morning you were weeping and wailing and tearing your hair because Fido was sick."

"Well, you see," explained Mrs. De Style, "after you left Mrs. Tiptoe came and told me that dogs of Fido's breed were going out of fashion. So I dried my tears and kicked him out."—Houston Post.

Judge and Jury.

Heck: Your wife says she is always willing to listen to reason.

Peck: Oh, yes, but she insists upon deciding for herself what is and what is not reason.—Boston Transcript.

Uninviting Prospect.

"Why did you refuse Richard?"

"He began talking about two living as cheaply as one. When I get married I expect to make the money fly."—Boston Transcript.

Mother Returned to Find Dad Had All Her New Sofa Cushions on the Floor Under the Rug—By Fontaine Fox

Caution.

He: Let's kiss and make up.

She: If you're careful I won't have to.—Gargyle.

The Modern Maid.

Father (to daughter curling her hair): If Nature had intended your hair to be curly she would have made it so.

Young Lady: Well, she did when I was a child, father, but now she thinks I'm old enough to do it myself.—Detroit News.